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"I Know thy Heart Remembers Me."

I know thy heart remembers me,
In all its pain and pleasure—
And oft my own goes back to thee,
Its last and deepest treasure:
'Tis mine to gaze on stormy seas,
And view the wreck of glory there—
And thine to feel Life's morning breeze,
Unmixed with all its chill despair.

I sometimes call the world my home—
The world which hath bereft me—
And dream, awhile, that joys will come,
As bright as those that left me:
And then, some wounded bird will stray
From memory's tracks of withered flowers,
To flutter o'er my future ways.
And sing the dirge of holier hours.

The day which died on yonder height,
Shall live again to-morrow;
But when the heart goes down in night
It finds no morn from sorrow:
The frown of night, the smile of dawn,
Will vainly gild or gloom the sky—
'Tis always night, now thou art gone—
'Twas ever day when thou wert by.

Thou may'st not feel that I have loved,
As man no more may love thee,
Until the vows of men have proved
Vain as the clouds above thee:
But down the burial vale of year
My words will rise with memories rife,
Like grave stones, wet with useless tears,
Which cannot bring the dead to life.

The True and the False.

BY CHARLES G. LELAND.

Through years of toil, Columbus
To the great New World came;
But a charlatan skipped after,
And the New World won his name.

All day in street and market
The liar's name we see;
Columbia! sweet and seldom—
Is left to poetry.

And the names bring back a lesson
Taught to the world in youth—
That the realm of Song and Beauty
Is the only home of Truth.

Letters by Measure.

We have just come across a rich "yarn," told of a Western Postmistress, that is entirely too good to allow to pass:

There is a new town in the Northwest called Barton, (contraction of Beartown.) At this point a post-office has been established; the route extends some distance beyond, and there are several offices further on. Soon after the establishment of the office at Barton, the postmaster beyond began to be troubled by a strange irregularity in the mails. This week one thing would be missing; the next some other package would be *non est*; and quite often letters for B. would have to be sent back; this state of affairs became unendurable, and agent Hall was sent on to investigate the matter. He went straight to Barton, where he found the post-office in the back room of a little grocery. It was about time for the mail to arrive, and he took a seat in the grocery, where a plump and good-natured woman, in years, and possessed of a "rich brogue," attended behind the counter, dealing out small quantities of beer, cheese, cakes, peanuts, etc., to a company of loungers, who seemed to wait for some event.

Hall bought a quantity of peanuts, and treated the crowd to beer, by which course he succeeded in removing all suspicions which his decent garb had created against him. Soon the stage drove up, and the mailbags were thrown out; the lady picked it up, and retreated to the back room, followed by the crowd—including Hall—who blocked up the door.

After opening the bag, and turning its contents on the floor, the post-mistress produced a box, and deliberately proceeded to measure out a peck of miscellaneous matter from the pile on the floor. Having done this, she commenced returning the rest, when Hall found his tongue.

"Why, what are you doing there?" he contrived to stammer out.

"Indade," said the postmistress, looking up, "it's changing the mail, that I am."

"But how do you know that you get the right matter? Why don't you look it over and select your own?"

"Faith, an' it's a fool's job you'd be afther havin' me do," replied her ladyship. "I can't read niver a blessed bit of ritin', and whin my son Jim (he's had a school larnin') isn't here, I jest measure out our sheer!"

A Romantic and Pathetic Story of Real Life.

The Cleveland (O.) *Herald* relates the following affecting narrative, which is represented as no less true than strange:

We yesterday learned the denouement of a painful story, equal to the most thrilling romance in interest, but with the circumstances and actors of which we were personally well acquainted.

Some twelve years ago, two young men, named Clyma and Paull, lived in a small village not far from the sea coast, in the extreme west of England. Both were miners and workers in the same mine near the village. Both paid their addresses to the same maiden, though not with equal success. Clyma prospered so well in his suit that a day was appointed for the nuptials, and in course the banns of marriage were asked in the village church on the first of the three Sundays prescribed by the English canon law.

Before the second Sunday came round, the rivals met at a wrestling match in the village, and it chanced that the turn came for them to wrestle together. Paull was excited, and determined to give his successful rival in love a "wicked fall," but his eagerness worked his defeat. He was thrown to the ground amid the shouts of the villagers. On springing to his feet, he swore that he would be revenged, and that Clyma should never marry his intended bride. From that day he took to drinking deeply, and hurled imprecations on his rival.

The day before that fixed for the marriage, Paull told all his acquaintances that he would be at the wedding, and would find means to prevent its taking place. Knowing his determined character, Clyma appeared alarmed at the threat, and got some friends to intercede with Paull, but in vain.

Late that night, Clyma left the house of his intended bride for his own cottage The way lay across a patch of barren moor, where there were several open mine shafts, which had been deserted, and the bottoms of whose black depths were now covered with several fathoms of water. About the same hour Paull was seen crossing to the same patch of moor from another direction. A miner, who passed a little later toward the mine where he worked—it being his turn for night-work—averred the next day that he heard a noise as if of a dispute and scuffle, but it was too dark to distinguish any one.

The marriage was to take place at 11 o'clock in the morning at the village church. Long before that hour the village was the scene of great excitement. The hat and neckerchief of Paull—the latter torn and bloody—had been found near the deepest of the abandoned pitshafts, and of Paull himself nothing could be found, nor had he been seen since he went toward the moor on the preceding night. The ground where the articles had been found, bore traces of a scuffle having taken place, and to crown the whole, two buttons recognized as belonging to Clyma's coat were discovered among the earth and stones. To these ominous facts Clyma could only reply that he had met Paull at the place mentioned, during the night; that high words followed by a scuffle, and that he had beaten Paull, who had retired cursing him.

This account was not deemed satisfactory, and Clyma was taken into custody to await further developments. Several days passed away; an examination was made of the pit and the surrounding locality, but no trace could be found of the body. It was argued, however, that if a stone was attached to the body before it was thrown into the pit, so as to sink it, there would be no probability of its ever being found. After several examintions before a magistrate, the accused was released from custody, but only to be shunned, as a murderer, by the whole community. In the mean time the intended bride became sick through excitement; a violent fever was succeeded by a wasting illness, and after lingering for some months, she died of a broken heart. These accumulated ills were too much for the unhappy object of general suspicion, and in less than twelve months after what should have been his wedding day, he became the inmate of an insane asylum, where he still remains, a hopeless lunatic.

Among the relatives of Clyma was a sister married to a farmer who, two or three years after the unhappy occurrences related above, removed to this country and settled down on a farm in Northern Illinois. About ten days since, this sister, while about taking the cars in Chicago for home, suddenly encountered the supposed murdered man! Her excitement was intence. Drawing him on one side, she made herself known to Paul, and was immediately recognized by him. The explanation given by him of his disappearance was, that he had met Clyma on the eventful night with the purpose of beating and disfiguring him, so that he could not be married on the succeeding day, but that his rival was more than a match for him. Burning with rage and indignation at his discomfiture, he had rushed off without knowing or caring what became of himself, and, on reaching the beach, had taken an old leakly boat and pulled directly out to sea. Next morning, when the boat was nigh sinking, he was picked up by an outward bound ship, which took him to New Orleans. Since then he had resided several years in California and the United States, had become moderately rich, and was now on his way to his native home, with which he had maintained no communication since his abrupt departure. On learning the sad events which had occurred in the mean time, he immediately accompanied the sister to her home in Illinois, and, after the necessary arrangements were made, he started with her for England, in order to repair, as far as possible, the mischief which had been done. They passed through Clevleand last evening, on their way east, and, happening accidentrlly to meet them at the depot, we learned the sequel to the sad story, with the earlier portions of which we were already acquainted. These go on a joyful yet mournful errand. The good name of the unhappy condemned can be reclaimed, none can restore his shattered reason, or rescue the broken-herted dead from her early grave."

A Distinguished Character.

The Cleveland *Plaindealer* thus chronicles the death of "Old Hannibal," the elephant:

This old and justly distinguished elephant died at Canfield on Monday. He was quite old—extremely so. We have heard his age stated variously at from five hundred to one thousand years. At times Hanibal was rather wild. Domestic troubles may have been the cause of this. We believe his faults were of the head, however, and not of the heart. He never used tobacco in any form, and in all his travels was never forced to "spout" his trunk for his hotel bills. What other showman of any note can say as much? Still, the fact can't be disguised, Hannibal cut up some very hard capers during his life. In Maine, some years ago, he was one night shut up in a shed. In the morning he was found three or four miles off, with the roof of the shed upon his back!

When connected with June and Titus' circus and menagerie, he had a falling out with some of the performers, and one day while they were making their grand entree in the ring, on their high-mettled and gorgeously caparisoned horses, Hannibal burst his fastenings, rushed into the ring, and unhorsed every man of them. After tossing them around for a while, he returned to his a customed place, and permitted his keeper to tie him up again. Going from Boston to Salem, some years ago, he became enraged at something or other, and made terrific work on the road—tearing down fences, tipping over wagons, and tossing men and horses into the air.

Traveling from one small town to another, one Sunday afternoon in New Hampshire, Hannibal met a long line of carriages, filled with people going home from church. The man in the head carriage struck the elepnant a smart blow with his whip, as he passed. Hannibal immediately unloaded the entire line of carriages. No one was seriously injured. One night as his keeper was driving him through a strip of woods in Vermont, a violent thunder storm arose. A tree was struck by lightning, and one of the shattered branches struck the keeper and killed him instantly. All night long the elephant watched the dead man closely and tenderly, even as a mother would watch the corpse of her child, and never, from that moment, left him until he was buried. Hannibal meant well. We don't hear what ailed Hannibal—probably it was old age. We understand that he cost his last owners, Van Amburg & Co., $14,000. Peace to his ashes.

EASY WRITING.—In the way of writing, no great thing ever was, or ever will be, done with ease; but with difficulty. Let ready writers with any faculty, lay this to heart.

Shakspeare we may fancy wrote with rapidity; but not till he had thought with intensity: long and sore had this man thought, as the seeing eye may discern and had dealt and wrestled with dark pains and throes, though his great soul is silent about all that. It was for him to write rapidly at fit intervals, being ready to do it, and herein truly lies the secret of the matter. The hot furnace having long worked and simmered, let the pure gold flow out at one gush. It was Shakspeare's plan.—No easy writer was he, or he had never been a Shakspeare. Dante sees himself growing gray over his "Divine Comedy," in stern solitary death wrestle with it, to conquer it if he may. Hence it is done and prevailed over, and the fiery life of it endures forevermore among men. Cease therefore, O ready writer to brag openly, of thy rapidity and facility.

"Easy writing," said Sheridan, "is sometimes d—d hard reading.—*Carlyle.*

Barry Cornwall thus refers to philopœnas:—"I greatly object to this one-sided game—this finding a double almond, sharing it with a lady, and then having to pay a forfeit when next she encounters you. If you say it first, the little girls have such funny ways to get rid of paying; sometimes they will give you a kiss—that's something; sometimes they will let you bear them to a ball or party; and sometimes they will pay you up like men—very unwillingly. I philopœned a girl; she acknowledged the debt, and promised me an annual. The next day she sent me an almanac.

☞ Little Nelly, not quite four years an inhabitant of earth, had been so unfortunate as to have no playmate but an older brother, and he was her instructor in diction. She had been quite refractory, and her mother, after much good counsel and reproof and very kind remonstrances with her, told her she must now whip her, and looked very melancholy. "Well mamma," says Nelly, with her little arms a kimbo, "If you must, why *let her rip!*"

☞ "What do you mean, you little rascal?" exclaimed an individual to an impudent youth that had seized him by the nose upon the street. "Oh nothing, only I am going out to seek my fortune, and father told me to be sure to seize hold of the first thing that *turned up.*"

☞ I don't say, Mr. Judge, that the defendant was druuk; no, not by any means. But this I will say, when I last saw him he was washing his face in a mud-puddle, and drying it on a door mat. Whether a sober man would do this, of course I can't say. The court thought he woul n't. The consequence was the "defendant" went up for sixty days.

Professional Cards.

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Office at Drug Store, in which a full assortment of Medicines may be found. ap14

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☞Office at the St. Charles Hotel. mh31

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Aug. 8, 1856. au8tf.

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Mariposa. Oct 27-1y

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Mariposa. jy12-tf

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MARIPOSA.

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S. G. GEORGE,
☞Commissioner for the State of California, to take testimony to be used in the Court of Claims at Washington.
OFFICE—At Visalia, Tulare county, Cal. je5-3m

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3.
Office in Mariposa. Jul. 12-1y

H. CLARK,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
MILLERTON, FRESNO COUNTY,
Will pay strict attention to all business entrusted to his charge. o29tf

Dr. W. S. Kavanaugh,
OFFICE ON MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE DR. HUBBEL'S DAGUERREAN GALLERY,
MARIPOSA. July 12-1y

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Particular attention given to the collection of claims, obtaining of Bounty Land Warrants, pay and extra pay of Seamen and Soldiers' Pensions, &c.

Cases attended to in the Court of Claims at Washington. Deeds, Mortgages, Leases, &c., carefully drawn.

Lands located and Pre-emption secured.

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N. B. Mr. MORRIS offers his services to the citizens of Tulare County, to obtain for them the appropriation made by the Legislature of 1857, to which they are entitled for services rendered in the suppression of Indian hostilities. Application should be made at once, as the War Commission before whom the claims are to be proved, will soon terminate its session. oc28-tf

NEW HOTEL!
ANDERSON HOUSE,
Corner of Main and Ferry sts. La Grange.
A. B. & S. L. ANDERSON.....PROPRIETORS.
☞This house is new, and has every convenience for the accommodation and convenience of the public. mar20-tf

N. HASKELL,
MARIPOSA FOUNDRY,
BULLION STREET, REAR OF CASHMAN'S.
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF IRON AND BRASS Castings made to order, at short notice.
Particular attention paid to the CASTING and FINISHING of
Every Description of Machinery.
The subscriber is also prepared to contract for the ERECTION OF QUARTZ MILLS, and will furnish the Machinery for these and every other description of Mills.
BILLIARD AND RONDO BALLS TURNED, and Repairing of various descriptions done at the same Shop.

ALSO, FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR CASH,
A STEAM ENGINE,
Of Fifteen Horse Power, in good running order.
N. HASKELL.
Mariposa, November 4, 1857. n4-tf

TOLL ROAD AND BRIDGE.
HAVING upon application to the Board of Supervisors for Mariposa County, obtained a License for a TOLL-BRIDGE, CROSSING THE MERCED RIVER AT WYATT'S STORE, together with a TOLL ROAD leading thence to White's Gulch, the subscriber would hereby give notice that the above Bridge and Road are now completed, and at the service of the Traveling Public.
To those who have occasion to travel between Mariposa and Coulterville, this route will not fail to commend itself as the safest and most direct.
A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. MARK WYATT.
Wyatt's Store, February 8, 1858. f10tf

Hotels, Saloons, &c,

CITY HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE.
GEO GE COUNTS.....Proprietor,
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE citizens of Coulterville and the public generally, that he can be found at
THE OLD STAND,
of which he is now the sole proprietor, and is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call, in as good style as any house in the County, and at as reasonable rates.
Coulterville, February 10, 1858. f17n25

COULTER'S HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE MARIPOSA COUNTY,
G. W. COULTE.....P ropretor,
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Public that he has made such additions and improvements to his Hotel as the increase of travel and patronage has demanded.
Persons visiting Coulterville, can here find excellent accommodations, a good Table, good Beds, and polite attention.
A STABLE is attached to the Hotel, under the charge of careful and attentive hostlers.
Coulterville, March 2, 1858. 3tf

COULTERVILLE
BILLIARD SALOON.
South st., Near Sullivan & Cashman's Store.
BELL & CO., : : : : : : : : PROPRIETORS.
ONE OF THE BEST BILLIARD TABLES IN the Country is at the service of those fond of this game.
THE BAR is supplied with the best of Liquors and Cigars, Lager Beer, &c.
LIQUORS—12½ Cts .....BILLIARDS—50 Cts.
Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14 tf

"OSO" BILLIARD SALOON,
BEAR VALLEY,
A. P. STAMPER.....PROPRIETOR.
THE above establishment has been recently fitted up in good style, and the proprietor by strict attention to the calls of customers hopes to merit a share of public patronage.
BILLIARD TABLES, in excellent order, and the Bar supplied with the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars. mh31 tf

OAK HOTEL AT MILLERTON!
M'CRAY & CO.
THE PROPRIETORS would announce to the public that they have recently completed new and extensive additions to their HOTEL, and are now prepared to accommodate guests in every particular. To their former establishment has been added a LARGE STONE BUILDING, furnished and fitted with whatever of conveniences a long experience in Hotel keeping could suggest.
Polite attention will at all times be given to the requirements of travelers and patrons.
I. McCRAY,
J. W. RANKIN.
Millerton, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

HOTEL AT AGUA FRIO,
RE-OPENED.
THE OLD STAND KNOWN AS WHITTIER'S having recently been put in complete order, the Proprietors would now announce that they are prepared to accommodate in every particular, Travelers, Boarders, &c.
MEALS obtainable at all hours.
A STABLE is connected with the Hotel, in charge of an experienced hostler.
THE BAR is supplied at all times with the best of Liquors, Cigars, &c.
AN EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLE is at the service of those fond of this amusement.
WHITTIER & HOLMES.
Agua Frio, November 11, 1857 n11 tf

MILLER'S HOTEL,
MOUNT OPHIR.
ACCOMMODATIONS EQUAL TO THOSE OF any Hotel in the County, are at the service of guests, whether transient or permanent.
J. MILLER, Proprietor.
Mount Opnir, January 6, 1858. tf

WILLIAM COHN.....JULIUS DETTELBACH.
MARIPOSA BAZAAR.
COHN & DETTELBACH,
TAKE PLEASURE IN INFORMING THE PUBLIC that they have REMOVED from their "Old Curiosity Shop," and Variety Store, to
THEIR LARGE AND NEW
Fire Proof Store,
ON MAIN STREET,
A few Doors Below the Post Office, and opposite MacDermott & Co.'s New Fire Proof Store, where they will be happy to receive their old Friends and the public generally. They offer at
SAN FRANCISCO PRICES, THEIR
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STEEL PENS, Ink, Sealing Wax, &c., &c.
FRENCH PERFUMERY, AND TOILET ARTICLES—A splendid assortment
....EVERY DESCRIPTION OF....
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Music and Musical Instruments.
....TOGETHER WITH A GREAT VARIETY OF....
FANCY GOODS,
PAINTINGS; ENGRAVINGS; LOOKING-GLASSES, TOYS, &c., &c.
GARDEN SEEDS; and an endless variety of other Goods, Yankee Notions, &c., too numerous to mention; all of which the public are invited to call and examine. C. & D.
Mariposa, February 11, 1858. f17

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FURNISHED ROOMS
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☞ROOMS WELL FURNISHED, AND TO LET on reasonable terms, by the week or month.
Transient customers may be sure of finding good Lodging accommodations.
THE BAR will at all times be supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors.
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AT THE LIBERTY POLE;
Where Board and Lodging of a first class Hotel can be obtained.
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BATHS! BATHS! BATHS!
Those who desire the comfort and benefits of a clean, luxurious Bath, Hot, Cold, Temperate, or Shower, can be accommodated, as the Proprietor spares no pains in administering to the wants of the outer as well as the inner man. Baths—Fifty Cents each. n20-jn5-t

HAYES' HOTEL.
THE ABOVE NAMED HOTEL HAVING been enlarged and comfortably fitted up, is now open for the accommodation of the Public.
THE TABLE, and all the accessories of a FIRST CLASS HOUSE, are under the personal superintendence of the proprietor, and will be found complete.
Its pleasant location, opposite the Court House, and the quiet and order maintained, commend it to the notice of Travelers and others.
There is a Large Stable attached to the premises, where animals will be carefully attended to.
GEORGE A. HAYES.
Mariposa, March 3, 1858. tf

St. Charles Hotel,
BEAR VALLEY,
J. B. SHEPPARD.....Proprietor.
THE Proprietor respectfully announces to the public that the new ST. CHARLES HOTEL in Bear Valley is now completed and opened for the accommodation of the public.
GOOD BOARDING will be furnished to permanent and transient customers, at reasonable rates.
THE SLEEPING APARTMENTS (single and Double Rooms) are fitted up in good style, and provided with the best of bedding.
THE BAR will at all times be supplied with the choicest Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
The POST OFFICE is kept here.
Bear Valley, September 20, 1857. tf

BASEMENT SALOON,
MAIN STREET MARIPOSA,
Under Van Bever's New Fire Proof Building.
CROCKER & CO. : : : : : : : PROPRIETORS.
THE BAR IS STOCKED WITH THE BEST OF
Liquors, Wines, Lager Beer, Cigars, &c., &c.
THE SALOON has a fine PIANO, which, with additional Instruments will be a source of pleasure to those fond of music.
A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.
Mariposa, March 10, 1858. 10tf

LIVERY STABLE.
BEAR VALLEY.
J. S. BATES : : : : : : : PROPRIETOR.
SADDLE HORSES, INFERIOR TO NONE in this County, both for Ladies and Gentlemen, will be furnished on application.
ANIMALS LEFT AT THE STABLE will receive every necessary attention, from experienced hostlers.
Bear Valley is the nearest accessible point by Stage, to Split Rock, Ridley's Ferry, Bondville, Sherlock's Flat, Hunter's Valley, Flyaway, and the North Fork of the Merced.
Animals will be furnished at reasonable rates, and in good condition.
Bear Valley, September, 16, 1857.

LIVERY STABLE.
A. J. GREGORY.....Proprietors.
THE PROPRIETOR would respectfully inform the people of Mariposa and the public generally, that he has taken the Stable lately kept by Gregory & Condon, in the town of Mariposa, on the corner of Fifth and Bullion streets, in the rear of McNamarra's Saloon.
GOOD SADDLE HORSES are always to be found at the Stable for hire, at reasonable rates.
THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS in the way of STABLING furnished.
HORSES KEPT by the Day, Week or Month on reasonable terms.
ANIMALS TAKEN IN AT ALL HOURS.
Mariposa, January 8, 1857. o14tf

LIVERY STABLE.
M. O. BARBER, PROPRIETOR.
Main Street, Between Sixth and Seventh,
MARIPOSA.

THE Proprietor thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended him, respectfully informs the public that he continues the above business at his old stand in Mariposa, where he keeps constantly for hire, on reasonable terms, a number of the
Best Saddle Horses.
Parties visiting Yo Semite Valley can be supplied with animals on short notice.
GOOD ACCOMMODATIONS in the way of Stabling.
HORSES kept by the Day, Week or Month, and at moderate rates.
ANIMALS RECEIVED AT ALL HOURS, day or night, upon application at the Stable.
HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD.
THE STABLE is under the personal superintendance of the proprietor, and careful attention will at all times be given to animals left in his charge.
Mariposa, July 17, 1857. jy17-tf

FOR SALE.
CEDAR POSTS, suitable for fencing, in any quantity at Van Campen's Steam Saw Mill, Saxton's Creek. j21 tf

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TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 24th

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
J. G. BALDWIN,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.

FOR CONTROLLER,
A. R. MELONY.

Regular Democratic Nominations.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE,
NICHOLAS CLEARY.
FOR SENATOR,
SAMUEL A. MERRITT.
FOR THE ASSEMBLY,
A. J. GREGORY, of Mariposa,
WM. J. HOWARD, of Merced.

CAMP MEETING.—The Camp Meeting near Visalia, will commence September 17th. Revs. E. B. Lockley, J. S. L. Wood and J. G. Johnson, will be in attendance with the undersigned.

M. CLAMFIT,
R. W. BIGHAM,

Mariposa, August 17, 1858.

(Mariposa Democrat please copy.)

THE BEAR VALLEY FORCIBLE ENTRY SUIT—OPINION OF S. W. INGE.

The Mariposa *Star* of last week, contained an article purporting to be an "opinion" of Ex-United States District Attorney, S. W. Inge, in reference to the effect of the judgment recovered by Fremont against Clark and Vandewater. In view of the high legal position heretofore held by that gentleman, we would be fain if we could. to throw the mantle of charity over him, and pronounce the thing a forgery. The profound, and at the same time, recondite legal attainments which had been ascribed to him, had left us unprepared to see him "rush into print" with such a miserable slip shod "opinion" *ad captandum vulgus.*

It will be remembered that the suit in question was commenced by Fremont against the Merced Mining Co., Smythe Clark and John Vandewater. On the trial, the County Judge, erroneously, as we think, refused to let evidence go to the jury against the Company on the ground that a corporation cannot commit the offence of forcible entry and detainer.—In consequence of that ruling, no evidence was given against the Company, and the jury found "not guilty" as to the Company, but found S. Clark and J. Vandewater who were the head men of the Company, "guilty."

Upon this judgment a writ of restitution was issued, and when the Sheriff repaired to the premises to execute it, he was met by the Company and others holding under them, and informed that he could not enforce his process, for the reason that it was only against Clark and Vandewater, and no others. It is to bolster up the Company in this erroneous view of the case, that this "opinion as is an opinion" was written. We can very well understand how a man not "learned in the law" might very conscientiously entertain that view of the subject; but how the mind of Lawyer Inge, usually clear and vigorous, should have become so obfuscated on this question, is beyond our comprehension. But we are keeping our readers too long from the enjoyment of the banquet of legal literature, which we design to set before them.

"The law is the perfection of reason," says an old writer. Now find, if you can, the exemplification of that adage in the following extracts from the "opinion." Mr. Inge says: "If the Company had been "guiltless of any offence, as found by the verdict of "the jury and the judgment of the Court thereupon, "can it be made to suffer for its innocence?"

What naivete! Certainly not, Mr. Inge. Again he says: "If the Company had been convicted, the "plaintiff could have claimed no more under his "verdict and judgment of conviction, than he now "claims under a verdict and judgment in favor of "the Company." Now the Col. don't state the facts in the above extract. The plaintiff could and would have claimed more of the Company than he does, if it had been convicted. He could have claimed costs and damages, whereas he had to pay costs to the Company. Nor do we like the grammar of the sentence which makes the plaintiff "claim under a judgment" which is against him. Again the Col. says: "The mere circumstance that two of the de-"fendants sued with the Company were convicted, "can in no manner effect the Company." We think it can. Sec. 10 of the Act of Forcible Entry and Unlawful Detainer; reads as follows: "If upon the "trial of any complaint under this Act, the Justice "or Jury shall find the defendant or defendants, *or* "*either of them,* guilty of the allegations in the com-"plaint, said Justice shall thereupon enter judgment "for the complainant to have *restitution of the prem-"ises.*"

The judgment in this proceeding is not simply that the defendant, if found guilty shall go out of possession, but it goes further and says that the plaintiff, having shown that he was entitled to be in possession, shall have a writ of restitution, which shall not only put the convicted defendant out, but shall put the plaintiff in peaceable possession. Again he says: "I have never heard it asserted before (as it "seems to be by Fremont's advisers,) that the party "who gains the suit, can lose the property in contro-"versy." Why, Colonel, suppose two men were sued for stolen goods, and there was no evidence against one of them, and he should be acquitted, and the other found guilty, would the first by "gaining the suit" as you say, be entitled to the property? If a man is charged with forcibly taking another's property, and on the trial is acquitted, does that entitle him to the property? The proposition is too absurd for argument. The truth of the matter is, the Company by its agents, made an unlawful and forcible entry upon a mine in the peaceable possession of Fremont. A suit was commenced against them. The Court thought the Company being an incorporated body could not commit an act *quasi* criminal, consequently the Company was acquitted, but its agents were convicted. Now would it not be the baldest mockery to say that the Company can still hold possession, when its agents through whom it took possesion have been convicted. Can a party who takes unlawful possession of another's property, hold it forever, by simply changing the agents through whom he holds. A corporation, which it is held cannot be sued for forcible entry, takes my property by its agent A. I commence a suit against A. and get judgment of restitution. But when the officer goes to give possession, he finds B, another agent of the Company, in possession, must I commence another suit against B., and then against C., and so on forever? The proposition is too absurd for serious argument.

But this article is already too long, yet we felt it to be our duty to expose the sophistry of a paper so much calculated to mislead many well-disposed persons, and to foster a spirit of insubordination already alarmingly rife in our community.

Massacre of a Mail Party.—Beyond question, the Mail Stage which left Placerville, July 31st, was attacked by the Shoshonee Indians beyond the Humboldt, and four persons killed—one is said to have escaped. It is much feared that Mr. Thomas C. Condon, formerly of Mariposa, was among the victims. His brother, J. B. Condon, Agent for Wells, Fargo & Co. here, received a letter from him, written at Tyler & Bennett's Ranch, on the Humboldt river, dated August 6th, in which was stated that he had driven alternately the mail, reported to be intercepted by the Indians, "thus far," and that "he would go through to Salt Lake with it," and further that trouble was anticipated with the Indians. He may be the individual reported "escaped," but that he was on the mail stage is quite certain.

......The Yellow Fever was prevailing in many places in Cuba.

POLITICAL.

Election is near at hand. Candidates outside of regular nominations, are urging their claims, which are almost altogether of a personal character. With regard to our candidates, regular nominees for the Legislature, Messrs. Gregory and Howard. Both these gentlemen are identified with the interests of Merced and Mariposa Counties. They are old citizens, are established, and have property, domestic relations, &c. They are permanent residents. No superior qualifications to theirs can be urged in behalf of any, running for the same positions, either as *independents* or under *quasi* nominations.

Hon. S. A. Merritt, candidate for re-election to the State Senate, is pre-eminently qualified to fill the position. Has always been a *regular* Democrat—never deviating. His course in the Senate of this State, for the past two years, is creditable alike to himself and to his constituency. Inability to perform, or any derliction from any previous political duty cannot be urged against him. He has been faithful to party and has done more for its success, than any other man in this district. It would be ungrateful to a degree, and would show an utter want of appreciation of creditable public service and of party consistency. Mr. Merritt is most undoubtedly the regular nominee, and if party bonds are hereafter to be observed, they should so *now.*

Judge N. Cleary is the *only* nominee for District Judge. We believe him to be an honest, upright man, and qualified for the position. Without, however, entering into a detail of his merits and demerits, we will speak of an opponent of his, who is out as an *independent.* Mr. S. B. Allison is the individual at the solicitation of one Know Nothing, one Bolter, and one disaffected regular—and OTHERS! Who are these others? Who? we ask. Whose influence should cause Sam Allison, than whom a greater stickler for *regular* Democratic observances heretofore, has not been in this County. His particular friends are *ultra* Democrats. His name was presented, but withdrawn in the Democratic Convention of the 10th of July, to the office which he now aspires *independently.* We believe he participated in the primary election of delegates to that Convention, at least his friends did; two of whose names appear in this *call* of his, which beats all the *calls* of Disciples, Apostles, or present day Preachers, we ever heard of. Mr. Allison has read to us and in our presence, too many lectures upon political consistencies and party subserviancy, for us to have any patience with him in his great political deriliction. If he had even received the nomination of the party that nominated Herbert, there would be some consistency in his running; but as *independent,* there is none—none whatever.

His warmest friend cannot urge a superiority of ability, or one single qualification possessed by him for the position he desires that is not possessed by the regular Democratic nominee. We would have with pleasure supported Mr. Alison had he received the Democratic nomination, and maintained his political integrity. But as it is, we cannot, *neither can any Democrat.* If party is to be observed, observe it. It will be healthy too, for these *others,* Mr. Alison included, who were our teachers in Democracy and elders, to observe their landmarks and light houses, whether astern or ahead.

In concluding, we advise every one to vote the Regular Democratic Ticket. No one Independent, is superior in any respect to those nominees upon that ticket, and in most, their qualifications are inferior. Therefore vote the ticket.

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS.

A triangular political fight is going on in Illinois between Douglas, the supporters of the Administration and the Republicans. Douglas differs with the Administration only on Kansas matters, and that difference is not sufficient to suit the Republicans, consequently they will not endorse him, as they are too sectional. The "little giant" is thus placed between two fires. The Administration charging him with traitorism to party, and the Republicans charge him with not having come up to their expectations.

Stephen A. Douglas is probably as good a Democrat as ever. The honest difference in opinion with the Administration by him exhibited regarding the admission of Kansas, does not go to show that his party fealty is renounced, and he with those entertaining similar opinions, should not be ostracised because of those opinions. Ultra Democrats are doing harm by their harshness and absolute close communion system. A freedom of thought, of expression and action, is allowable in the strictest of parties. The intelligence of the party is not evidenced without these manifestations. But one rule of the Democracy that we know of should be undeviatingly observed, and that is, an entire acquiescence to the will of the majority as expressed in action. Douglas position upon the admission of Kansas in Congress, was not sustained. He doesn't go over to another party because of it. The passage of English's Compromise Bill, which settled the matter, does not alienate him.

Nor did it alienate those who were really Democrats in principle. If the supporters of the Administration in this Kansas imbroglio would cease throwing up by gones, the matter would be settled, and the Democracy would appear with as full ranks and as strong as ever. We much like a resolution passed at the recent Democratic State Convention. Its conciliatory temper is to be much approved, and it is to be hoped all national Democrats, whether of this or that opinion regarding a certain point, should join hands and carry out the great principles of the party which underlie all personal and sectional considerations. The following is the resolution:

Resolved, That the act of Congress, known as the English Compromise Bill, having referred the whole subject of the admission of Kansas to the people thereof, we do, without regard to former differences of opinion, accept and abide by that reference, and cannot but deem any attempt to revive the agitation of that subject in national politics, as a violation of the spirit and intent of the Kansas Nebraska law, and dangerous to the peace and integrity of the Union.

FRAZER RIVER.

Thomas Duff, well-known in this place and vicinity, writes from Frazer River to his brother here, about as follows. The letter was written at Fort Yale, and bears the date of Aug. 9th. Thomas says: That he landed at Victoria, and from thence went up the river 175 miles to the Fort mentioned.. That it was one of the hardest *travels* he ever *seen* in all *his* life.. That it is of no use to try to tell of all the dangers he escaped.. That Frazer is the roughest river extant.. that the mountains about Mariposa are ant hills compared to those into which he has wandered.. That the current of the river runs from 15 to 20 miles per hour.. Not a day passes but that numbers of men are drowned trying to get up it in canoes.. That mountain men say that no trail can be made.. That the diggings commence at Fort Hope, 15 miles below Fort Yale.. Every bar in this intermediate space is taken up.. Each claim has a front of 25 feet upon the river, running back indefinitely.. Miners are *very thick*—4000 at Fort Yale.. The river has been prospected for 450 miles up, and good diggings found, but it is impossible to pack up stream, nor to go up in boats, nor to mine till *the river falls*.. It is falling every day, although it rained like the devil for nine days in succession since Thomas has been "thar".. No trading post above Fort Yale.. Some miners have been making "big licks"—$150 per day—and some are not making "grub".. No surface diggings in the country bordering upon the river has yet been discovered.. Thomas thinks Frazer a richer river than any in California.. The gold is fine as flour.. Indians have gold, also steal when they can.. No man that cannot land at Victoria with $400 has no business to come.. Next January is about the time to start from Mariposa for that delectable region, if anybody wants to.. Twenty miles above Fort Yale flour is worth $5 per pound.. Tobacco $8 per plug.. Whiskey one ounce per quart.. No females up there, and Thomas thinks there is no need of them.. To get to where he is has "nearly killed him," and the frail sex would most undoubtedly perish—*'Tis as much as the most fool-hardy men dare undertake, and worse was to come in ascending the river* .. Thomas was trying to trade "grub" off which he had plenty, for a claim, as he had no money wherewith to buy... Thomas saw no fresh meat after leaving Victoria... Miners were living on flour and fat pork... No lumber to be had... Gold dust is worth 14 dollars per ounce... Miners that go up the river are generally stripped stark naked by the Indians and started back—some of them are killed, but not a great many, however... Gold coin is not abundant. "Charley," a friend of Thomas', had "turned back," and had probably reached Victoria, if the Indians hadn't got him, &c. &c.

......Burglars and drunken Indians, appear to be numerous in Placerville.

LOCAL.

......A party of fourteen men were encamped at Clark's Ranch, on the South Fork of the Merced, last Sunday night, on their return from Owen's Valley and Mono Lake and the eastern slope of the Sierra Nevadas. They report no diggings about Owen's Lake, but in the vicinity of Mono lake, on the head waters of Walker's River, coarse gold was found, and from prospecting they judged that four or five dollars per day could be made. They also report the existence of immense forests of "Big Trees" up on the head waters of Kern river. Some were measured, which were 35 feet in diameter. Owens' Valley is stated by them to be a magnificent place. It is about one hundred miles long, varing from five to ten miles wide. It is thickly inhabited by Indians, who are cultivating the land to a considerable extent, raising many kinds of vegetables and grain. They report scenery upon the head of Kern river far surpassing that of Yo Semity Valley. There appears to be a succession of small valleys, surrounded by perpendicular hights, from which pour into these valleys the waters of Kern river. These falls are higher, and the volume of water greater, than in Yo Semite, as stated. Game was very scarce. The miners on Walker's river were buying cattle in Carson Valley and butchering their own beef. Nother meat was to be had. Flour was plenty at 17 per hundred pounds. The men composing the party, all reside in Tulare county, and were out upon the trip about seven weeks.

......A negro, named "Toney," well known about this place, was most severely whipped on Thursday last, near Brown's Store, on the Chowchillia. Toney states that four white men, armed, came to his camp and took him out, tied him to a tree and gave him about one hundred lashes, giving him no reason for such proceeding. On Saturday, four men, Halverson, Proux, Gilliken and Holt, were arrested for the act and brought before Justice Noris. Halverson was used as evidence; upon hearing the case, the Justice bound over the other three in the sum of $260 each to appear and answer at the next term of the Court of Sessions. The bonds were given in each instance and the accused departed.

......The California Minstrels played here on Wednesday and Thursday evenings to respectable audiences. These, however, were not a large as we had hoped, nor as large as they deserved, for which but one reason can be assigned, and that is the hard, dry and pecuniarily distressing times. The Company is better than we have ever seen it, and without individualising we would say that its different members are gentlemanly in deportment, accomplished as musicians, and also as delineators of Ethiopian character. They go North from here, and we hope will find a country where there is more water, more money, and where meritous performances will meet with a better pecuniary reward.

......Capt. B., a reprobate of the first water, states that at a Camp Meeting which he attended in Stanislaus County, not long ago, a lean, lank, spare rib of a feminine, rushed into the "cirle" shouting and hooting, using up the "King's English" in the exaltation of her God, and finally wound up by seizing a "Brother" around the neck and saying "*Ain't our Jesus some punkins!*"

......Mr. Clark, residing at the Yo Semite crossing of the South Fork of the Merced, informs us that a number of Indian hunters have killed two grizzleys and eleven deer near his place during the past week. Their piscatorial performances are also worth noticing. On Wednesday last they dug about six bushels of a weed known as the "soap root;" pounded it up fine and poured it into the South Fork, which at present is very low. It had the effect to stupefy and to produce a sort of inebriating influence on the trout of which there is an abundance in that stream. Over 2000 fine, fat, tipsey fellows, weighing from half a pound to three pounds, were taken while under the influence of this "soap root" decoction.

......A minister in this county, not more than a year ago, exhorted his hearers to "observe the rich *verbiage*" of that portion of scripture he had just read, &c.

......"Brethering, the time for public meetin *has arroven,*" shouted an exhorter to the multitude at Cathay's Valley Camp Meeting, upon one occasion not long ago.

......Peaches have been sent this office from Neal's Garden, about the size of a man's fist or so, for which, grateful praises arose, particularly from our Devil, who sequestrated and absquatulated with most of them.

......S. Wormser has the credit of erecting the first fire-proof store since the conflagration. He is now in occupancy of it and has a large stock of Hardware, and is prepared to do all kinds of Job Work connected with the business. His enterprise and energy deserves to be rewarded, and doubtless it will be.

Fine Lumber.—Van Campen is furnishing splendid lumber—1500 feet of flooring was delivered in this place on Saturday, in which there was not a knot or apparent defect. This mill is on Saxton's Creek, and he is prepared to furnish more of the same sort per order.

......On Thursday last, John Bye, of Upper Agua Frio, washed out of one pan of dirt obtained near Dr. Woodward's Store, $60. The same lucky individual realized $15 besides, the same day.

......James O'Brien, just returned from Frazer River, took out at Colorado the past week, a nugget of pure gold weighing 22 ozs.

Alex. Berdsky, alone took out $411, on Thursday last, near Lewis' Hotel, on the Mariposa Creek. The gold was very heavy.

STATE ITEMS.

......J. C. Duncan, Esq., has retired from the editorial management of the San Francisco *Globe.* He is succeeded by G. W. Guthrie.

......The safe of Jewett, Green & Co., San Francisco, was blown up on Friday night last, by some burglars. They had introduced, however, more powder into the safe than they had calculated, and a tremendous explosion took place on its being ignited; tearing the safe to pieces, and the front of the store out. The thieves were so badly scared, that they fled without obtaining any booty.

......The annual Fair of the State Agricultural Society, commenced yesterday at Marysville. The number of contributors, it is said, much exceed those of last year. The prizes offered are liberal. Quite a number of lady equestrians will contend for a gold medal valued at $50, which is to be awarded to the most accomplished lady rider.

......McKibben and Dudley, anti administration nominees for Congress are stumping the State. They were at Sonora last week, and held forth. Their audience was slim: enthusiasm not particularly prevalent. The whole thing was but a sorry affair, according to the Union *Democrat.*

......Officer Bovee, of San Francisco, tried to shoot Ned McGowan when that individual passed through that city on his way to Frazer—so says the Court. The sentence for such a misdeed, has not been pronounced. It may be fine or imprisonment; perhaps both.

......An agent of a Telegraph Company, is in San Francisco purchasing wire for a Telegraph Line to Salt Lake.

......The reported rich diggings at Owen's Lake, has proven to be a humbug. A party that left Visalia some time since to prospect, have returned, unable to find the color about that Lake. They followed up the eastern slope of the Sierras to Walker's river, and report diggings there which three or four dollars per day may be made.

......A Company has been organized up in Tehama County, called the "Antelope Rangers," for the purpose of protecting the inhabitants of that region from Indian depredations.

......Specimens of clam shells from Frazer River, have been exhibited in San Francisco. The mouths of some of the retured to Mariposa look more like clams than like ordinary "bread traps."

......Eighty-seven bushels of barley, 50 pounds each, has been harvested per acre by Judge Fox, of San Mateo County.

......The Stockton Artesion Well, bored to a depth of over 1000 feet, at a very great expense, runs it waters, some hundreds of gallons per minute, off into the Slough or *Harbor* of that city, no use being made of it.

......Thirty one thousand letters were received at the Post Office in San Francisco, by the steamer *Golden Gate,* on her late arrival.

For the Mariposa Gazette.

THE ARRASTRA.

For ages the arrastra has been the favorite mode in Mexico of extracting gold and silver from their containing rocks, and all experience goes to prove that it is the surest mode of exracting *all* the metals from the ore, that has ever been tried by the grinding and amalgamating process. As an amalgamator, the arrastra stands unrivaled. Notwithstanding they have been thrown aside repeatedly by our go-a-aheadative operators, still they revert back to the "primitive arrastra" as a last resort against an utter failure in their mining enterprises.

Now it occurs to me, that instead of abusing the slow and sure Arrastra, we should study the principle upon which it works, and endeavor to improve upon its structure, thereby increasing its efficiency and usefulness.

There is no process now in use that will reduce ores so completely as the arrastra, and it is well-known by practical men that gold cannot be thoroughly extracted until the ore is completely reduced to the fineness of the gold itself; for a coarse grain of sand may contain several fine partices of gold.—Stamps cannot reduce the ores so fine as an arrastra, for the reason that, as soon as it is reduced to sand, the blow of the stamp forces it with the water from under the blow; as the water gives place to the blow of the stamp it takes the fine sand with it, and the blow falls upon the coarse quartz that remains behind. It appears to me that the stamp and arrastra should work together—one to break the mass into coarse sand and the other to reduce it to the required fineness to complete the process.

LABORER.

Mariposa, August 20th, 1858.

ITEMS BY THE LAST STEAMER.

Gen. John A. Quitman, of Mississippi, died on the 17th of July, at his residence in that State. In his obituary given by the N. Y. *Herald,* the following prominent events of his life are set forth:

Gen. Quitman was a native of New York; born at Rhinebeck, on the Hudson river, Sept. 1st, 1799. His earlier years were spent in unremitting study. It was the intention of his father, that he should become a minister, instead of which he followed his own inclination and studied law. At the age of 21, he went to Natchez, Mississippi, where he established himself, and ever since has been one of the most prominent men in the South-western States. He first was a member of the Legislature; then Chancellor of State for several years; then State Judge of High Court of Errors and Appeals; afterwards Governor. His military life is perhaps better known. He was one of the most able Generals under Gen. Scott, in the late war with Mexico. He distinguished himself at Monterey, and his division was the first to enter that city. Before the battles of Buena Vista, he was ordered upon Scott's line and participated in most, if not all, the battles and brilliant victories occurring in the march of the army upon the City of Mexico. He, with his division, was the first to enter that City, of which he was appointed Governor by Gen. Scott. He returned to his home at the close of the war. In '55, he represented the 5th district of his State, in Congress. He has been identified with filibustering movements against Cuba and Central America, for some years past, but whether in these he has acted in a manner contrawise to the spirit of our own institutions and his individual obligations as a citizen, remains to be seen. It is declared, however, that his decease has left a blank in the National Councils, and that he was highly esteemed by all parties for his great integrity and weight of character.

......The Steamer *Golden Gate* arrived at San Francisco Sunday morning last, bringing European dates to July 4th, and New York dates to July 21st. The *Gate* brought over 1100 passengers, of whom 450 were U. S. Troops, and a large amount of Express Freight.

......Three attempts had been made to lay the Telegraphic Cable in mid ocean, all of which were unsuccessful, the cable breaking—the last time after 150 miles had been paid out. The fleet had returned to England.

......Charley Scott Representative from this State, knocked down a Dr. Ogden, at the Kirkwood House, in Washington, for insulting remarks, etc.—The Dr. challenged S., who accepted, and then stated he was sorry that he had said anything disrespectful; whereupon Scott expressed regret at having knocked the Dr. down, and so the matter ended.

......Gen. Jim Lane has been acquitted of the murder of Col. Jenkins, near Lawrence Kansas, of which most people have heard enough.

......The Administration has determined to have the Nicaragua route opened immediately. The old grant to the Atlantic and Pacific Ship Canal Company is considered valid, and will be protected by vessels of war at either terminus.

......A terrible accident occurred July 15th, on the N. York and Erie Railroad, by which 6 persons were instrntly killed, and 40 wounded, many of whom will die. Two cars ran off an embankment 30 feet high, caused by the breaking of a rail. In these were all the sufferers.

......Wm. T. Porter, the well known editor of the "*Spirit of the Times,*" died in New York City, July 19th.

......The Frazer river excitement had reached New York, and vessels were advertised to sail from that place.

......The watering places, Newport, Saratoga, and Cape May, were crowded with visitors, and the cities were generally relieved of the *bon ton.*

......A splendid Cathedral is about to be erected in New York, by Arch Bishop Hughes. Its cost, including the ground, is estimated at over one million of dol'ars.

......Billy Mulligan had shown his pugnacious proclivities by beating two men in New York. He was arrested in one instance, and when the day of trial came, forfeited his bail of $1,000.

......The Collins' line of Steamships have been sold at last to a French Company for $1,600,000.

......A mob hung a man by the name of Baker, at Lexington, Ky., on the 10th of July, for killing the City Marshal of that place.

......Gen. Walker made a speech at Montgomery, Ala., on the 10th of July, in which he stated that President Buchanan had at some time previous, made fillibustering overtures to him in regard to Mexico.

......The news of the discovery of rich gold mines, had created great excitement in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, and in Canada.

......The Queen of England had visited the *Leviathan,* and had also witnessed the exploits of Mr. Rarey in horse taming.

......A plan for the better government of Vancouver's Island and British dependences in that region, is being considered by Parliament.

......British successes in India continue. The force employed was, however, too small to effectually suppress the mutiny. Applications had been made to the British Ministry for 20,000 more men.

......Several slavers had succeeded in landing their cargoes of Slaves upon the shores of Cuba, despite the efforts of the British and Americans.

......On the 19th of July, one of the heaviest earthquakes ever known in the Valley of Mexico, occurred. Whole villages and towns were ruined and hundreds of lives were lost. In the City of Mexico, many houses were thrown down, and the fine aqueducts leading to the city, were broken in a thousand places, and are at present useless. Property to the amount of five millions, as estimated, was destroyed.

......Four men and two boys, while ascending the shaft at the Thomastown colliery, in Schuylkill County, Pa., one day last month, when within a few inches of the top, were, by the premature drawing out of a pin upon which the car rested, dashed down down the shaft, a perpendicular depth of two hundred and forty feet, and instantly killed. Their remains were found in a shockingly mutilated condition.

......A young man named Healy, in Bucks county, Pa., had both legs cut off by a mowing machine which he was standing in front of, fixing the knives, when the horses started, on the 6th ult. He bled to death in a few minutes.

......A partial eclipse of the moon occurred at 53 minutes past 4 this morinng, as the almanac states. It was not much observed about here, we think.

......The "Mountain Dramatic Troupe" were at Sacramento at last accounts. Their agent Newcomb, had "left" with the funds of the concern. A reward was offered for him.

REMOVAL OF INDIANS.

The removal of the Indians from the Fresno Reservation to the *Nome Lackee* Reservation, is being considered by the Indian Agents having authority in the matter, as we are informed.

The project, if carried out, we think, would be very prejudicial to the interests of the inhabitants of that section of country in which the bands of Indians who are under the influence and control, in a measure, of the officers of that Reservation, live and roam about. For if this Fresno Reservation is broken up and abandoned, not one Indian in twenty-five would ever go to the Nome Lackee Reservation, or remain contented there if they did go. It would be almost impossible to compel them. It is quite probable, too, that in the absence of the influences and benefits of the Reservation, they would take to their old courses and steal as before.

If anything is to be done with them, we would counsel a removal of the Reservation out of the mining region into the mountains upon the heads of the Fresno and Chouchilla, where the Indians might be clear of the evil surroundings which exist to their great prejudice and detriment, in localities where every day they are brought in contact with the whites, the result of which is drunkenness and demoralization of the males, and the prostitution of the females. As long as they exist—and it will be no great length of time, for they are being rapidly decimated—let such existence be in the mountains in which they have always lived and roamed; and *apart* from the whites, which is essential to their well being in every respect. This change of location could be easily effected, and their isolation from the evils of association with those who are but prejudicial to them, would be much more complete.

CARD.

To the Editor of the Mariposa Gazette:

Dear Sir:—I notice in the *Mariposa Gazette* of Aug. 17th, a statement of a difficulty *stated* to have occurred between Mr. Catron and myself. As my name has been brought before the public, in your widely circulated sheet, "a decent respect for the opinions of mankind" demand that I should place that name and my character in a different position, if it can be done consistently, with fact and truth. I know not where you got your information in regard to the affair; if you received it from some *responsible person,* he certainly has stated things on his own responsibility, without regard to fact and with unenviable recklessness of the truth of his word, which every honorable man should hold sacred. If you have done this thing on your own responsibility, you must withdraw (retract) those few but bitter lines and put others in their place not quite so full of gall, but happily more full of truth. If again you have done this thing on the responsibility of Madame Rumor, she has "fooled" you this time, and made a sharp edged tool of you to give me a considerable dig. In the first place, sir, I was not armed when the difficulty commenced, as your "piece" insinuates, but armed myself after Mr. Catron had threatened me with a club and started in pursuit of the same warlike weapon, "that ar is to say" among some *enlightened tribes* we read of in Africa. That I was met with rocks by my antagonist, "'tis most true;" that he succeeded in knocking me down, (as your piece kindly remarks) 'tis most false; that he "damaged me considerably," is also false. I trust, sir, for your own sake, as well as my own, you will publish these few lines, in order to place my name and character before the public, in regard to this affair, as Justice and Truth dictate, and allow me to say that as you have been so forward to publish a false statement, it will be to your credit, even if not so agreeable, to publish a true statement of the affair in relation to the 'peart' points mentioned in your brief paragraph.

Yours, very respectfully,
C. G. WALKER.

Buckeye Creek, August 18th, 1858.

A CARD.

A statement appeared in the Mariposa *Democrat,* published in Hornitas, to the effect that James Smith, Esq. was nominated for the Assembly by the Democracy of Fresno and Tulare at a meeting at Millerton, on Monday the 9th inst. This is an error. Mr. Smith received a majority of votes at the primary election in Millerton, but on the assembling of the Convention at that place, it was found that few delegates were present, no primary elections having been held in many precincts. Thereupon the County Central Committee referred the matter back to the people to vote upon; the returns of which vote were to be handed in to them on the Saturday following. This was done, and it was found that J. M. Roane, Esq. had a majority over Mr. Smith, and will undoubtedly be declared the Democratic nominee.

D. J. JOHNSON.

Millerton, August 17, 1858.

.....There is a place up in Sierra Co. called "Port Wine." The Sierra *Citizen* has an agent at that "pint." There are a good many grasshoppers up there, too; and they are eating up the green things. Hope they won't light upon our most valued exchange, the *Citizen.*

CANDIDATES.

DISTRICT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce SAM B. ALISON, as an Independent Candidate for District Judge, in the Thirteenth Judicial District, at the next ensuing election.

Mariposa, August 10th, 1858 te.

Justice of the Peace.—In accordance with the generally expressed wishes of the People of Bear Valley and vicinity, Mr. J. S. BATES of that place, is a Candidate for the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE for Township No. 3, at the ensuing election. aug19 te.

Constable—We are authorized by many citizens to announce the name of WM. BAER of Bear Valley, as a Candidate for the office of CONSTABLE, for Township No. 3, at the ensuing election. aug17

Supervisor—HUGH DIMOND is a Candidate for Re-Election to the office of SUPERVISOR, for District No. 2, Mariposa County, at the ensuing election. aug17-te.

Justice of the Peace—GEO. COUNTS is a Candidate for Re-Election to the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, for Township No. 4, Mariposa County, at the ensuing election. aug17-te.

☞**FRANCIS GILTNER, of Agua Frio,** is an Independent Candidate for the ASSEMBLY, at the ensuing election. aug10te.

☞**A. F WASHBURN is a Candidate** for Re-Election to the office of JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, for Township No. 3, at the ensuing election in September next. aug10-te.

☞**J. W. HUEY announces himself as** a Candidate for the Office of Constable, for Township No. 3, at the ensuing election. aug10-te.

BIRTH:

On Wednesday last, the Wife of J. B. Condon of a DAUGHTER.

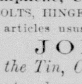
REMOVAL.

NEW STORE.

I WOULD announce to the people of this vicinity that I have removed to my new Fire Proof Building at the South-Western

Corner of Main and 5th Sts.,

Where, with a much increased Stock, I am prepared to furnish to order all kinds of



HARDWARE,
LEAD PIPE OF ALL SIZES,
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS,
Stoves, Rubber Hose, Oil,
Camphene, Crockery, Tin-ware, Butts,
BOLTS, HINGES, COPPER SHEETING, LEAD,
All articles usually kept in a Hardware Store.

JOB WORK,
In the Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Line,
Done to order, and in the best manner by experienced mechanics.

Stove Furniture and Stove Pipe
Made of required sizes.

METAL ROOFING AND WATERWAYS contructed and put up; and all work done connected with the business, to order and in a workmanlike manner and upon reasonable terms.

S. WORMSER.

Mariposa, August 24, 1858 tf.

Special Notice.

COHEN, SAMUELS & CO. would respectfully state to those indebted to them that they are in immediate want of money, and that settlements MUST immediately be effected. Being heavy losers by the late fire, business depends upon their promptly receiving all dues from those who have had credits at their establishment. The demand is imperative and its necessity is obvious.

Mariposa, June 16, 1858.tf.

Special Notice.

Particular notice is hereby given to the debtors and creditors of the firm of J. C. Lamon & Co., that their books are at the store and in the hands of Sullivan & Co., Mariposa, which firm is authorized to receive and receipt for all moneys due the firm of J. C. Lamon & Co. On each Saturday, one or both of the firm will be at the store of Sullivan & Co. to transact any business connected with the firm, or with them as individuals.

J. C. LAMON,
D. CLARK.

Mariposa, July 6, 1858-j7-3mos.

JAMES G. BELL,

MANUFACTURER AND REPAIRER OF
JEWELRY, &C.,
Building on Main Street, a few doors North of the Post Office.

He is now prepared to fill all orders for articles in his line:—BREAST PINS, FINGER RINGS, EAR-RINGS, COLLARS, BOSOM AND SLEEVE BUTTONS, AND CROSSES, CHAINS, KEYS, SEALS, MASON'S AND ODD-FELLOW'S JEWELS, &c. &c.

☞Particular attention is called to samples of SIDE KNIVES, which can be seen at his place of business.

☞Those who desire to send specimens of California Gold and Workmanship to their friends at home, should not fail to call.

☞GOLD SMELTED AND ORES TESTED AT ALL TIMES.

Mariposa, August 14, 1858.

SHERIFF SALE.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the 13th Judicial District, in and for the County of Mariposa, State of California, attested the 12th day of July, A. D., 1858, and to me directed in favor of James Wilson, plaintiff, and against LeBref & Fourgere, defendants, for the sum of Nine Hundred and Two Dollars and Twenty One Cents, ($902.21,) and costs together with accruing costs. I have levied upon the following described property of defendants, to-wit:—"That certain piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon, situated, lying and being on the square between Stockton and Main Streets, in the town of Coulterville, in Mariposa County, being the same lot formerly owned by Rivest & White, upon which is now standing a Brick House, well known as LeBref & Co.'s Fire Proof Building, now used and occupied by defendants as a Store House, together with all the improvements and appurtenances belonging. Also, a Frame Stable in the town of Coulterville, and nearly opposite the Saloon of 'Fauvre Diable,' the same has been levied upon as the property of defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that on **Saturday, the 28th Day of August, 1858,** between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., I will expose for sale at Public Auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, all the right, title and interest of said defendants, in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. D. CRIPPEN,
Sheriff of Mariposa County.

By order of H. G. Worthington, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Mariposa, July 28, 1858 td.

The above sale has been postponed until Saturday August 28th, 1858. By order of the Plaintiff's Attorney.

J. D. CRIPPEN,
Sheriff of Mariposa County.

Mariposa, August 24th, 1858.

UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS.

A medicinal drink, of eminently salutary qualities, manufactured by himself exclusively, at his factory at Schiedam, in Holland, and well known during the last twelve years throughout all the Atlantic and Western States.

It is made from the best barley that can be selected in Europe, with the essence of an aromatic Italian berry, of acknowledged and extraordinary medicinal properties. It has long since acquired a higher reputation, both in Europe and America, than any other diuretic beverage.

Analyzed, it is a *perfectly pure Liquor,* in its effects a mild and whole-ome tonic. It is extensively used and approved by the medical faculty, the temperance people, heads of families, &c.

In Gravel, Gout, and Rheumatism, in obstructions of the Bladder and Kidneys, and in General Debility, its effects are prompt, decided, and invariably reliable; and it is not only a remedy for these maladies, but in all cases in which they are produced by drinking bad water, which is almost universally the cause of them, it acts as a *sure preventive.*

For Fever and Ague it is one of the most efficacious preventives that can be resorted to.

The Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps

is consequently in great demand by persons traveling, or about to settle in new parts of the country especially, as well as by many in every community, where it has become known, on account of its various other remedial properties.

In all cases of a Dropsical tendency, it is generally the only remedy required, when adopted in the early stage of the disease.

In dyspepsia maladies, when taken in proper quantities, as a diet drink, and especially at dinner, it is found, by uniform experience, to be eminently efficacious in the most obstinate cases, when even the best of the usual remedies have failed to afford more than temporary relief. In cases of Flatulency, it is an immediate and invariable specific, and it may be administered in diluted and proportionate quantities, even to Young Infants, in all those paroxysms of griping pain in the stomach and bowels to which they are especially subject, as well as in the cholic of grown persons.

Its judicious adoption in connection with the principal meals, or when a sense of exhaustion dictates its use, never fails to relieve the debility attendant upon protracted chronic maladies, low temperament and exhausted vital energy, by whatever cause induced. These are facts to which many of the most eminent medical men, both in England and the United States, have borne testimony, and which are corroborated by the highest written authorities.

Put up in quart and pint bottles, in cases of one dozen, with my name on the bottles, cork, and facsimile of my signature on the label.

For sale by all the respectable Druggists and Liquor dealers in California and Oregon.

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Sole Importer,
22 Beaver street, New York.

Caution to the Public.

London Cordial Gin,
Club House Gin,
Schiedam Schnapps,
Medicated Schnapps,
Royal Schnapps,
&c., &c., &c.

Under the above and similar titles, the liquor-mixers of this city are bottling large quantities of adulterated, unwholesome trash, costing but little, on which they hope to realize large profits by selling in California.

Avoid all compounds. Some are so skillfully prepared as to pass for good Liquor, except with the best judges. If you would be safe, use only the long established, renowned, genuine *Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps.*

UDOLPHO WOLFE, Sole Importer,
22 Beaver street, New York.

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NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby warned not to purchase from J. D. Stapleford, or his assignees, a Ranch in San Bernardino County, known as a part of the said Bernardino Mormon Ranch, which W. C. Deputy purchased, in the month of March, 1858, from C. Tucker Allen, situated five or six miles from the town of San Bernardino and containing 700 acres, or any part or parcel thereof, all of it lying south-east of the Santa Anna River; also a house and six acres of land in the Town of San Bernardino, known as the Lyman House, with its appurtenances; also land in Tulare County; being Survey No. 43 of Swamp and Overflowed Land, E. ½ of N. E. ¼; also S. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼; also N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ of Section 34, Township 18 S., Range 25 E.; base and meridian of Mount Diablo. Also, five houses and four lots in the Town of Visalia, being on lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, in blocks Nos. 14 and 13, with their appurtenances.

All persons are warned not to purchase the afore-described property from the said J. D. Stapleford, for the reason that it is not his, but the property of W. C. Deputy; and the Deed, signed by W. C. Deputy, purporting to be a conveyance alienating to J. D. Stapleford the aforedescribed Real Estate, was obtained by flogging and strangling and hanging the said Deputy by the neck, and the acknowledgement, signed by W. Governeur Morris, as Notary Public, and by D. R. Douglass, as witness, was signed by these persons when each of them knew that he (Deputy) signed it to escape being put to death by J. D. Stapleford and Wm. Governeur Morris, as they had threatened said Deputy.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Tulare,

I do swear that the facts set forth in the above notice, are true, so help me God.

WM. C. DEPUTY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, on the 7th day of August, 1858, at Visalia.

D. W. C. FRENCH,
aug17-3t. Justice of the Peace.

D. LUCAS,
Freighter & Forwarder
HUNTER STREET, STOCKTON,
Adjoining Fox & Conner's Liquor Store.

GOODS Forwarded with despatch, and all business entrusted to him will be promptly transacted. aug10-3m.

Mariposa Gazette

"AND LO! I AM WITH YOU!"

The San Francisco *Spirit* gives the following dissertion on a certain class of individuals who inhabit the Bay City: "There is a genius in town and his name is Bummer. And verily, a curious genius is he. He is a portly man, and he is a modest man.—His dress is a curiosity—it is "poor but respectable" —it seen hard service, and has clung to its owner like wax, even as he has clung, not to his friends upon the streets, but to his friends in the stores and in the newspaper offices. It has, however, a peculiar cut—a cut which, by contradictory implications, gives you the idea of proud humility and dignified reserve. Bummer is a man who has had, and continues to have, "expectations." If they remain "expectations," surely Bummer is not to blame.—He has lived upon them for many a year, and waited with Christian patience for their realization. If he has done nothing to bring about that realization, it is because he is a fatalist. "Whatever is, is," and "whatever is to be, is to be," and of what use would be any exertion that Bummer might make, 'Twould only disturb the *dolce far niente* of passive hope, and in no wise alter or retard the stern decrees of fate.—Bummer is satisfied with his position—he is prepared to bear whatever comes with pious resignation.—He has a select circle of "intimate" friends, whom he visits with punctillious regularity, and from whom he draws the means of scanty subsistence upon the faith of his "expectations." Nothing in charity is ever accepted by Bummer. He has not always been what he is—he will not always be what he is. Every cent he receives is scrupulously recorded in a greasy pocket book, to be repaid with interest in a coming period—a period which has been "coming" ever since Bummer's hair was black, and which is "coming" now when his hair is gray. Bummer is not merely just—he is liberal. If you lend him a ten cent piece, he says to himself, "Bummer, my dear fellow, you will pass this for a bit at Martin's, and upon the strength of it you will obtain credit for another drink, therefore you must put it down thus: Received from my friend Greeny twenty cents, to be returned with interest when I receive my inheritance." So it will be seen that Bummer is both a logical reasoner and a thoroughly honest man—in theory—and if he can't be honest in practice, why who's to blame? Certainly not Bummer. He never borrows large sums; he always intends to pay, and if he can't pay, he can't, that's all. He has the will if not the way, and if in the course of human events Bummer should go down to the grave and leave no record of his name but small bills, fate is to blame. Until then, however, Bummer will always be with you, unless your purse should unfortunately collapse.

THE ATLANTIC CABLE.

Regarding the attempts to lay the Telegraphic Cable, the following is an account as complete as any received:

[From the Cork Reporter, July 5.]

The Niagara and Gorgon, attached to the squadron for the laying of the trans-atlantic cable, arrived in Queenstown at an early hour this morning. We regret having to announce that the object of the expedition has for the present failed, and we shall now give our readers such particulars of the events which occurred in the course of the undertaking as we have been able to collect.

The Agamemnon and her tender the Valorous, and the Niagara and her tender the Gorgon, sailed from Plymouth the 10th of June; each of the great vessels carrying about 1,500 miles of cable, with a new and improved apparatus for paying it out, which it was calculated would have allowed for any strain or unequal motion of the ships, as the very speed of the vessels regulated by automatic arrangements the rate at which the coil was to be discharged. After having been three days at sea, the expedition was overtaken by a fearful gale, which continued without intermission for nine days. On the seventh day of this heavy weather the ships, which continued to keep together, had to part company, and the Agamemnon was obliged to scud before the wind for thirty-six hours; her coal got adrift, and a coil of the cable shifted, so that her captain for sometime entertained serious apprehensions for her safety, and from the immense strain her waterways were forced open, and one of her ports was broken. Two of her sailors were injured, and one of the marines lost his reason from fright. Yet such was the consummate skill, good seamanship and intrepidy of her commander, Captain Praede, that he was enabled to bring her to the appointed rendevous, lat. 52 deg. 2 min., long. 33 deg. 18 min.

The Niagara rode out the storm gallantly, having only carried away her jibboom and one wing of the figure head, the great American eagle.

All the vessels having at length arrived at their central point of junction, the first splice of the cable was made on the 26th. After having paid out two and a half miles each, owing to an accident on board the Niagara, the cable parted.

The ships having again met, the splice was made good, and they commenced to pay out the cable for the second time; but after they had each paid out forty miles, it was reported that the current was broken, and no communication could be made between the ships. Unfortunately, in this instance the breakage must have occurred at the bottom, as the electricians, from the fine calculations which their sensitive instruments allow them to make, were able to declare such to have been the fact, even before the vessels came together again.

Having cast off this loss, they met for the third time and recovered the connection of the cable on the 28th. They then started afresh, and the Niagara having paid out over 150 miles of cable, all on board entertained the most sanguine anticipations of success, when the fatal announcement was made upon Tuesday, the 29th, at 9 P. M., that the electric currens had ceased to flow. As the necessity of abandoning the project for the present was now only too manifest, it was considered that the opportunity might as well be availed of to test the strength of the cable. Accordingly, this immense vessel, with all her stores, &c., was allowed to swing to the cable, and, in addition, a strain of four tons was placed upon the breaks, yet, although it was blowing fresh at the time, the cable held her as if she had been at anchor, for over an hour, when a heavy pitch of the sea snapped the rope, and the Niagara bore away for this port. Before starting, an arrangement was made that, should any accident occur in paying out the cable before the ships should have gone one hundred miles, they should return to their starting place in mid-ocean; but that in case the distance should have been exceeded before any casualty sho'd happen, they should make for Queenstown. In accordance with this understanding, the Niagara, having made one hundred miles before the mishap, returned to this port. Upon her homeward way she must have passed the Agamemnon, but owing to the heavy fogs which prevailed for the greater portion of that time, she missed seeing or gaining any tidings of her.

ESCAPES FROM THE INSANE ASYLUM.—Two insane patients effected their escape from the State Asylum a day or two since, by forcing a hole through the garden fence. They managed to get hold of some tools belonging to a mechanic at work on the premises.—The *Republican* says: "A dozen more would have escaped had not the attempt been discovered. Since the large number of mechanics have been at work at the outside of the building, the inmates have become excited and have manifested a disposition to escape more than usual. There is a conspiracy occasionally gotten up among them to break out, but it always falls through, owing to one portion of the leaders, before it is put in operation, discovering that all of the others are "poor crazy devils," and are not to be trusted.

☞The New York *Post* publishes an ode by an Italian organ grinder:

"Eternal Rome, who sat on seven hills,
Big with vast conquest and ambition's lust,
Sent forth her legends, thick as Egypt's ills,
To grind opposing nations to the dust.
And Rome still stands, immortal and sublime!
Nor is there city where ye may not find
Her legions now, as in the ancient time:
They still go forth—*their mission still, to grind!*"

THE RICHEST MAN IN ENGLAND.—He is the Marquis of Westminster. His wealth is estimated at £21,000,000 sterling, or $105,000,000; and his anual income is £70,000.

NEW STAGE LINE
From Stockton to Mariposa.
FARE REDUCED.

THE undersigned having taken the contract for Carrying the United States Mail between Stockton and Mariposa, will hereafter run a Line of Stages between the two places mentioned and on alternate days thereafter, commencing Tuesday, August 10th, 1858.

Stages will leave each place the first week on TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY,

And on the following week, on

WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY AND SUNDAY,

And the week following on the same days as on the first week.

These Stages will connect with the Boats at Stockton, and will meet at Hornitas as the terminus of the first day's travel.

OFFICES:

In Stockton,..........Jenny Lind Restaurant.
Snelling,..........Snelling Hotel.
Hornitas,..........Eldorado Restaurant.
Quartzburg,..........Maj. Hardwick's Hotel.
Mount Ophir,..........Miller's Hotel.
Mariposa,..........Post Office.

R. W. STEVENSON & CO.

Mariposa, Aug. 10, 1858 tf.

PRIZE FIGHTS.—The St. Louis *Republican* gives the following account of another brutal exhibition of pugilistic prowess which came off on July 15th, above the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Depot, on the opposite side of the river, which was witnessed by a crowd estimated at from two to three thousand people. The fight was between "Shanghae" Connor, of St. Louis, and Janus Burns, of New Orleans, for $100 a side. Connor had whipped everybody against whom he had been pitted, and Burns was sent for to contest the championship with him. On Tuesday the New Orleans shoulder hitter went to Connor and challenged him, which invitation was at once accepted. The betting, we are told, was very spirited, and a great deal of money changed hands on the result. "Shanghae" was the victor, being declared winner on the twenty first round.

Another prize fight took place in Savannah, be John McGuire, an Englishman, and James Duffie, a boarding house runner. They fought fourteen rounds and McGuire was declared victor by the knowing ones present.

PLEASANTRY IN WASHINGTON.—The *States* says that a young man named Faucett was married, recently, on Maryland Avenue, and while the occasion was being celebrated by a few gathered friends, some ten or twelve gentlemen came in uninvited, and with characteristic playfulness struck the groom over the head with a slung shot, and blowing out the lights proceeded to make merry after their own fashion by breaking the furniture and frightening the ladies present. After remaining as long as they chose, they retired outside, where they remained till about 2 o'clock, A. M., throwing occasional stones and brickbats at the house. It is said that the groom knows the captain (?) of this pleasant party, but having a due regard for his life in his new domestic relation, refuses to inform on him.

PEDESTRIANISM.—James Kennovan, the champion pedestrian, and Henry Derrick have made a match to run around one of the San Francisco race tracks six miles, each drawing a sulky carrying a boy.

SOME STOCK.—Samuel Thorne, of Thornedale, N. Dutchess County, N Y., has a herd of only some 70 cattle, but their cash valuation is over $80,000; for one bull $6,000 was paid in England, for another $5,000, and another is almost equally valued.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

F. AND A. M.

Mariposa Lodge No. 24.
REGULAR MEETINGS—The last Saturday before each full moon. Special Meetings second Saturday thereafter.
WM. A. KING, W. M.
J. R. NORRIS, Secretary. d10

I. O. of O. F.

☞**Mariposa Lodge, No. 39, meets every** TUESDAY NIGHT at their Lodge Room in Concert Hall, at 7 o'clock. Members of the Order in good standing are welcome visitors.
J. D. CRIPPEN, N. G.
JOHN W. ROSS, Sec'y. d10

Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.—One wine-glass full, taken three times a day, before meals, will be a sure cure for Dyspepsia, will remove all flatulency, or heaviness from the stomach, keep you free from costiveness, assist digestion, give a good appetite, and impart a healthy tone to the whole system, and is a certain preventative of fever and ague. Those bitters are pleasant to the taste, and are a delightful beverage. Purchasers should be careful and take none but the Genuine Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, kept by all the principal Druggists and first class Saloons.
PARK & WHITE, General Agents, 132 Washington street, San Francisco.
DR. GRANDVOINET, Agent Mariposa. a14-2m

☞**Dr. L. J. Czapkay.**—We would direct the especial attention of Invalids to the perusal of Dr. L. J. Czapkay's advertisement, to be found in another column of this paper, to place the services of a learned and experienced Physician within their reach. So much ill has been inflicted upon the human family from the pernicious and ignorant practices of impirics, that it seems as if we were fulfilling a bounden duty to make known where judicious relief can be obtained. To those unfortunate enough to suffer from the effects of sexual or private diseases, or other ill treatment, we cheerfully commend Dr. L. J. Czapkay as a man of rare scientific and medical acquirements. Possessing all the requirements, from long experience and acknowledged skill, for the successful practice of his profession. Having made sexual complaints his especial study, like the celebrated Ricord of Paris, he is enabled to guarantee a speedy and permanent cure in all cases of private or chronic diseases, whether the effect of contagion, self-abuse, or loss of virility, and in order that patients at a distanee may avail themselves of his advice, free consultation by letter is open to them. The knowledge we have of the numerous cures he has effected, some of which were of long standing, leads us to place much faith in Dr. C's efficacy, and commend him to the confidence of those in ill health. d9

B. PITT,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Crockery, Wines, Liquors, Cigars,
Clothing, Boots, Shoes,
AND ALL KINDS OF
MINERS' SUPPLIES,
MAIN STREET, HORNITAS.

HAVING recently added a Fresh lot of supplies to his large stock of Goods, he is prepared to furnish his customers with Goods fresh, at SAN FRANCISCO COST. All orders will be promptly attended to, and all weights and measures warranted correct.

☞Pack animals always in readiness for the accommodation of customers.

The same attentions and advantages are to be had at his
STORE IN INDIAN GULCH.
Hornitas, Aug. 6, 1858-aug10-tf.

LIVERY STABLE.
MAIN ST., A FEW DOORS NORTH OF PLAZA,
HORNITAS.
S. W. CARR, : : : : : : : Proprietor.

A SUPERIOR STOCK OF SADDLE HORSES, ALWAYS on hand for Hire, on terms to suit the times.
Horses boarded by the day, week or month at moderate rates. aug10-tf.

New Store at Snelling,
MERCED COUNTY.
YATES & CO.,..........Proprietors.

A LARGE Stock of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS; LIQUORS; CROCKERY; BOOTS AND SHOES;
And articles suited to the wants of a Farming or Mining community, constantly on hand and for sale at a small advance from Stockton prices.
Patronage respectfully solicited.
YATES & CO.
Snelling, June 10, 1858-je16-tf.

SADDLERY ESTABLISHMENT
.... OF ....
Cyrus DeForris,
Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harneses Bridles, Reins, Saddle-Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

☞All orders from the Country, accompanied by the CASH, will be attended to promptly.
Mariposa, June 2, 1858 tf.

60,000 HAVANA SEGARS, ASSORTED BRANDS, Superior in quality—just received and for sale by
d16 SULLIVAN & CO

New Advertisemnts.

J. R. SIMS,
SUCCESSOR TO
SIMS & FRASER,
OREGON STREET, NEAR FRONT, SAN FRANCISCO,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Fire Proof Doors and Shutters,
Bank Vaults, Gratings, Balconies, Railings, &c., &c., &c.

ALL KINDS OF BLACKSMITHING done to order. Second Hand SHUTTERS constantly on hand, and for sale at LOW RATES.
☞Particular attention paid to country orders.
N. B.—Oregon street is in front of the Custom House, north side of "Merchant's Exchange."
aug10 3m.

Arcade Billiard Saloon
MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA, NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE.
NEWCOMB & HUEY : : : : Proprietors.

THE undersigned would respectfully call the attention of the public to their
NEW SALOON,
Which is tastefully fitted up; containing
Two Slate and Marble Bed
BILLIARD TABLES,
With New and Improved Cushions, equal to any in the State, which are always at the service of those fond of the Game.

☞THE BAR is furnished with a good supply of the
Choicest Wines and Liquors,
And during the present warm season, every variety of FANCY ICED DRINKS will be served to customers by an experienced Bar Keeper.
C. J. NEWCOMB.................J. W. HUEY.
aug10 tf

THE ALHAMBRA,
Main Street, Mariposa.

J. W. TORNEY would announce to his friends that he has recently completed and opened a
NEW SALOON
Upon the ruins of the "Gem," of larger and fairer proportions, and better adapted to the accommodation of the Public.

THE ALHAMBRA is fitted with every convenience as a place of PUBLIC RESORT, and it is the intention of the Proprietor that it shall *be* such, *par excellence*.

Every variety of Liquors is kept at the BAR, the quality of which is such as the proprietor has and ever will keep, viz: THE BEST and none other.

☞A BAR KEEPER, who understands his business, will be always on hand. aug10 tf

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to an order of the Honorable Probate Court of Merced County, I James Rigby, Administrator of the Estate of I. T. J. Cain, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1858, at 11 o'clock A. M., all the real estate of said intestate, consisting of a certain farm, situated on the North side of the Merced River, and known formerly as the "Ake Place." Being the south-east quarter of Section No. 21, in Township No. 5 South of Range No. 13 East of Monte Diablo meridian, and contains one hundred and sixty acres, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging. The above described property is situated in what is known as "Scott's Bottom," and the land is of an excellent quality. The entire tract is fenced, and all been in a state of cultivation, it being a very desirable farm.

The sale will take place at the said Farm, two miles below Forlorn Hope, at the time above mentioned.

☞Terms of Sale—CASH.
JAMES RIGBY,
Administrator of the Estate of I. T. J. CAIN, deceased.
Snelling, Aug. 6, 1858-aug10-3t.

BLACKSMITH SHOP,
BEAR VALLEY,
R. T. WILLIAMS..........PROPRIETOR

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BLACKSMITH WORK done to order.
☞Particular attention given to the Shoeing of Oxen. Price EIGHT DOLLARS per yoke. mh31

DENTISTRY.

DR. HAMILTON, Regular Graduate of Surgery and Mechanical Dentistry, has arrived in this place and taken rooms at the UNION HOUSE, where he proposes remaining for a few days only.

All operations necessary to PRESERVE and BEAUTIFY THE TEETH, will be performed in the most skillful manner.

Having practised his profession in California for the last eight years, Dr. H. is prepared to give good references for the durability of his operations.

Those requiring his professional services, will please give him a call the present week.
CHARGES MODERATE. j21 tf.

"OSO HOUSE,"
BEAR VALLEY.
J. S. BATES,:::::Proprietor.

HAVING fitted up the above House in a style UNSURPASSED BY ANY HOTEL IN THE SOUTHERN MINES, the Proprietor respectfully solicits a fair share of public patronage. Visitors can rely upon a table furnished with the
Best the Market Affords.
EXCELLENT BEDS, and all the conveniences of a First Class Hotel.
No pains will be spared to render the House a pleasant resort for the traveling public.
THE BAR will be kept supplied with Liquors and Cigars of the best quality.
☞CHARGES MODERATE—to suit the times.
Bear Valley, July 12, 1858 j14-tf.

OAK SPRING HOUSE.
L. H. P. SMITH, : : : : : : : : Proprietor.

ACCOMMODATION FOR Travelers, Teamsters and Regular Boarders.
Meals prepared to order. Delicacies of the season will be found upon the Table.
"None but Good Liquors Sold Here."
At the Bar can be found the best quality of Cigars, and all the Fancy Drinks.
ANIMALS taked care of in the best manner, and fed as desired. j14-tf.

Mariposa Brewery.
HORNNEBER & LESMAN : : : : : : : : : PROPRIETORS.

THIS Brewery is one of the largest and most complete in the State, at which is now daily manufactured a large quantity of
LAGER BEER,
OF
EXTRA QUALITY.
Beer will be delivered in any part of this County. Orders promptly attended to.
Families supplied with Beer in Bottles, if desired.
☞A considerable experience in the manufacture of this now favorite beverage enables the Proprietors to guarantee satisfaction to competent judges of the article.
Mariposa, July 7, 1858.

Pioneer Stage Line
BETWEEN
Mariposa and Bear Valley.
COL. TERRY,..........PROPRIETOR

LEAVES MARIPOSA EVERY MORNING, AT 8 A. M.
" BEAR VALLEY AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

COMMISSIONS, Orders, &c. will be attended to, either in Bear Valley, Mariposa, or upon the Route.
A **NEW CONCORD WAGON,** of the best description, has recently been purchased and placed upon the Line.
All matters of business entrusted to this Line, Col. Terry considers himself responsible for its faithful execution, and prompt returns.
Mariposa, June 23d, 1858-tf

PINE TREE
TONSORIAL SALOON.
LEWIS A. MONROE

BEING one of the unfortunates by the late fire, has re-opened a new and completely arranged
Hair Dressing and Shaving Saloon,
And announces to the public that his facilitiss for performing all work pertaining to the profession, are unsurpassed.
HAIR CUTTING, SHAMPOONING and SHAVING, done in an artistic manner.
☞Saloon in McNamarra's Building.
je6-tf.

CARPENTERS TOOLS.—A large lot, for sale by [may19] COHN & DETTLEBACH

New Advertisements.

"Express Drug Store,"
MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE undersigned having received an entirely **New and Fresh Supply of**
DRUGS, MEDICINES &c.,
Will continue the business in the
New Express Office Building.
They have already a good assortment, and will be always supplied with every article appertaining to the business, among which are:
DRUGS and CHEMICALS;
PAINTS, OILS, &c.;
DYE STUFFS.
PERFUMERY;
STATIONERY, &c.;
PATENT MEDICINES, &c.;
....ALSO....
Sarsaparilla and other Patent Medicines
Of every description.
☞Prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours
GREGORY & CONDON,
C. VALENTINE, Apothecary.
Mariposa, July 7, 1858.

NOTICE.

THE firm of J. C. Lamon & Co. is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due said firm will be settled by either of the partners, or by Sullivan & Co.
J. C. LAMON,
D. CLARK,
R. B. LAMON,
By his Attorney in fact
J. C. LAMON.
Mariposa, July 6, 1858-j7-3m.

RASSETTE HOUSE,
SAN FRANCISCO.

MR. E. I. ARMSTRONG, formerly of the St. Nicholas Hotel, has recently assumed the proprietorship of this Popular Establishment. Under his supervision, many improvements have been made for the convenience and comfort of guests, and the House is particularly deserving of patronage.

Mr. ARMSRRONG, while keeping the St. Nicholas, was a deservedly popular Landlord with the business men of this region, by whom he will doubtless be patronized in his new location.

☞FAMILIES can be accommodated with suits of Rooms at low prices.
☞The RASSETTE COACH will convey passengers to or from the House, for FIFTY CENTS. Baggage Free.
E. I. ARMSTRONG.
San Francisco, June 12, 1858 je16-tf.

RANCHING.

THE undersigned will take Animals, to Ranch on his Hay and Grain Ranches, situated upon the Stockton and Mariposa Roads, near Quartzburg.
These Ranches are entirely fenced in, thereby the security of stock is much greater than would otherwise be the case. Excellent Water and Feed is in abundance.
Animals taken at reasonable rates by the week or month.
E. G. BARTON.
Quartzburg, June 16th, 1858 tf.

Coulterville and Bear Valley.

COULTERVILLE
STEAM SAW-MILL.
SMITH, DUDLEY, & CO.

THESE MILLS are located in a heavily timbered region, Five and a half Miles North-East of Coulterville, and are accessible from that place by a GOOD WAGON ROAD.
Particular attention is given at this Mill to Sawing the FRAMES OF HOUSES, Dimension, Lumber, &C.
500,000 FEET OF LUMBER,
OF ALL VARIETIES, is now on hand.
SHINGLES of the best quality, constantly for sale.
LUMBER delivered at any accessible portion of the surrounding country, at reasonable rates of transportation.
PRICES—$20 per Thousand for the first quality, at the Mill. Proportionate prices for inferior qualities.
G. W. COULTER, Agent at Coulterville.
ap14 tf SMITH, DUDLEY & CO.

COULTERVILLE
BLACKSMITH SHOP.
JAMES SHIMER..........PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor would state to the People of Coulterville and vicinity, that he is now fully prepared to do EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BLACKSMITH WORK to Order, and in a Mechanical and thorough manner.
Particular attention given to the Ironing of Carriages and Wagons. Also, to the Shoeing of Horses and Oxen.
Tools tempered with great care and in a superior manner.
Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14-tf

Coulterville Livery stable.
SMITH & LANDERS, PROPRIETORS,
WOULD INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT having purchased the Stable well known as THOS. SCOTT'S, with the Stock of the same, and added thereto a number of Fresh Horses, they are prepared to accommodate any and all with the FINEST OF SADDLE ANIMALS, HORSES FOR BUGGIES, MULES, &c.
Particular attention will be given to the fitting out of PARTIES FOR YO SEMITE VALLEY.
Animals suited to the trip can be had in any number. Also, Pack Mules, and every necessity for the convenience and comfort of such parties.
Animals kept at reasonable rates, by the Day, Week, or Month, and properly taken care of.
SMITH & SANDERS.
Coulterville, April 12, 1858. ap14-tf

NEW STORE!
AT COULTERVILLE.
W. M. ROCKWELL::::::PROPRIETOR.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL!

An extensive and Fresh Stock of
GROCERIES, LIQUORS,
MINING UTENSILS,
PROVISIONS, HARDWARE,
CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes,
And other Goods suited to the wants of the community, is just received, and will be sold at reasonable rates.
☞THE ABOVE STORE IS A BRANCH OF AN extensive Importing House in San Francisco, and their facilities for purchasing Goods are surpassed by none.
☞GOODS WILL BE PACKED reasonable distances to purchasers.
Coulterville, July, 28, 1857. jy-29-tf

JEWETT ADAMS..........JOHN BALLARD.

NEW STORE,
AT BEAR VALLEY.
ADAMS & BALLARD,
RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to the Public that they have on hand, and will regularly receive from San Francisco, large supplies of
Provisions, Groceries,
WINES AND LIQUORS
TOBACCO AND CIGARS,
CROCKERY WARE, AND
TIN-WARE, HARDWARE,
And Miner's Supplies generally.
All of which will be sold as Low as goods can be purchased elsewhere in the Mines.
Bear valley, April 14, 1858. ap14

GEO. E. HIGGINS,
MANUFACTURER OF
California Gold Pens.
GOLD AND SILVER PEN CASES AND HOLDERS,
Of all kinds,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
148 Montgomery St, between Clay & Merchant. 148
je23. SAN FRANCISCO. tf.

JOHN H. RICHARDSON,
House, Sign and Carriage Painter.
ORNAMENTAL AND DECORATION PAINTING TO ORDER.

PARTICULAR attention given to Sign Painting. All orders left at the UNION HOUSE, will be promptly attended to.
Mariposa, June 30, 1858-tf.

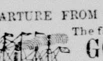
PARTICULAR NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Blumenthal & Newcomb, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
All debts due the firm will be paid to J. Blumenthal, who solicits a prompt settlement, having lost everything by the late fire.
J. BLUMENTHAL,
C. J. NEWCOMB.
Mariposa, June 15, 1858 je23

Miscellaneous.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.

FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,
VIA PANAMA.
DEPARTURE FROM FOLSOM STREET WHARF.



The favorite Steamship
GOLDEN GATE,
Will leave Folsom Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA,
MONDAY.................Sept. 6th 1858
AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately
By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.
Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.

According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.

THROUGH TICKETS
Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.

☞Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.

☞No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 4 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.

The Golden Gate will be succeeded by the Golden Age, to sail Sept. 20th.

For freight or passage, apply to
FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

GREAT SALE
—OF—
DRY GOODS,
DAMAGED BY THE LATE FIRE.

COHEN, SAMUELS & CO., offer their entire and extensive stock of Dry Goods, consisting of *CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, CLOTHES, &c. &c.*, damaged more or less by the late Fire, at a small portion of their original cost.

This stock has been removed from their old store, to Fremont's Adobe Building, opposite the Post Office, GREAT BARGAINS may be had, as the Goods must be immediately closed out.
CALL AND SEE. COHEN, SAMUELS & Co.
je9-tf

BIG OAK FLAT
BILLIARD SALOON
IKE AMSDEN, : : : : : : Proprietor.

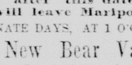
THIS SALOON, recently opened, is fitted and furnished in the best style.
Two Excellent Billiard Tables
At the service of those fond of this game.
The BAR will contain at all times **Wines, Liquors, and Cigars**, of the best quality.
The Public are invited to examine for themselves.
Big Oak Flat, May 26, 1858-tf

California Steam Navigation Co.

STEAMBOATS
BETWEEN SAN FRANCISCO AND STOCKTON.
Steamer CORNELIA,
Capt. E. CONKLIN.
Steamer J. BRAGDON,
Capt. THOMAS W. SEELEY.
Leave Jackson Street Wharf, San Francisco, Daily, (Sundays excepted,) for Stockton, at 4 P. M.
☞Freight and Passengers will always receive the best attention.
JOS. S. PRATT,
Agent at Stockton.
SAMUEL J. HENSELY,
mar13-tf San Francisco.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

A. N. FISHER & CO.'S
Stage Line,



FOR STOCKTON.

From and after this date, the Stage will leave Mariposa,
ON ALTERNATE DAYS, AT 1 O'CLOCK, P. M.
Via the New Bear Valley Road.
....Connecting with....
BEAR VALLEY, MOUNT OPHIR, QUARTZBURG, HORNITAS, MURRAY'S BRIDGE, SNELLINGS, DICKINSON'S AND HEATH & EMORY'S FERRIES.
N. B. Passengers for French Bar, Knight's Ferry or Sonora, will take A. N. Fisher & Co.'s Stage at Hornitas.
Office at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Main st., Mariposa
J. B. CONDON, Agent.
☞The above Line connects with T. M. Heston's for Millerton, King's River and Visalia. j27-tf

SULLIVAN & CO.,
GRANITE STORE,
Main Street, Mariposa.

Importers and Dealers in
PROVISIONS, GROCERIES,
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
WINES AND LIQUORS,
HAVANA SEGARS,
Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots,
HARDWARE.
MINING TOOLS,
And a general Variety of articles suited to the wants of a Mining and Farming community, which we will sell at
LOWER RATES FOR CASH,
than any other establishment in the Southern Mines.

☞**Having a Branch House in San Francisco**, through which we receive our goods direct from the
New York and Boston Markets,
We are enabled to supply the public at prices which will defy competition. Purchasers are invited to call and examine our Stock and Prices.
☞**All Orders promptly attended to** and particular attention paid to the SAFE AND SPEEDY DELIVERY OF GOODS in this and neighboring Towns.

WE HAVE ALSO A BRANCH HOUSE AT
COULTERSVILL L,
Maxwell's Creek,
Where our business is conducted on the same general principles. s30-m17

SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Wines and Liquors,
CORNER CALIFORNIA AND FRONT STS.,
s30 SAN FNANCISCO.

REMOVAL.
New Arrival of Goods.

PERSONS desiring Fancy Dry Goods and Clothing are informed that since the fire I have taken the stand formerly occupied by the Messrs. Guard, nearly opposite the Methodist Church South, where I would again be happy to accommodate the wants of my friends with Clothing and Dry Goods on the most Reasonable Terms,
CLOTHING,
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CAPS,
COLT'S REVOLVERS,
AND FANCY GOODS,
Of different descriptions.
My stock has recently been largely increased of the above enumerated articles, which are of good quality.
Prices to Suit the Times,
☞CALL AND SEE—Main Street, Mariposa, next door to Cohn & Dettlebach's and opposite the Fire Proof Store of MacDermott & Co.
M. KRAFFT.
Mariposa, March 17, 1858. 17tf

ALSO—Fresh lots of Tobacco in every variety.—For sale by COHN & DETTLEBACH
my19

San Francisco.

SICK CALIFORNIANS

An honest Appeal to all with bad or failing Health!

ARE YOU LANGUID, INANIMATE, RESTLESS. APPETITE POOR, DIGESTION BAD, and PAINS IN THE LIMBS, BODY, BACK and HEAD? Reader, much of this is caused from COLD caught unwittingly, or, in seven cases out of ten, SLUGGISHNESS OF THE LIVER and BLOOD, and WANT OF NATURAL PERSPIRATION, indescretion in the use of Food and Drink, or from a dryness in the atmosphere—which is a very unhealthy part of this climate—many of the AWFUL, VIOLENT AND SUDDEN DEATHS that occur here must be attributed to this. Now, reader, I have made this my study for many years, and I do assure you that my DR. WEBBER'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL will cure these causes—it will insure animation of the LIVER, BLOOD, and BRAINS; it strengthens the NERVES, and gives to the sufferer a LIGHTNESS OF SPIRITS, a MENTAL and BODILY FEELING OF STRENGTH, that is delightful. The many respectable persons who have been benefited by, and certified to its extraordinary qualities in curing any of the following diseases, must satisfy all but the self-wise and ignorant skeptic—*Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Loss of Muscular or Bodily Strength and Mental Energy; Fever, Ague, or Chills; Rheumatic, Neuralgic or other Pains; Depletion and Weakness of the Natural Functions, Debility from Disease, Dissipation, too much Doctoring, Debauchery*, and other causes; in case of excitement from constant *Intemperance*, and where *Delerium Tremens* has occurred, I have seen it change the sufferer in half an hour from the most horrible state to calmness and placidity. It can, indeed, be conscientiously recommended to all suffering, and the proprietor REGRETS DEEPLY that it is necessary thus to ADVERTISE it, in order that its merits may be known.

Constitutional Weakness.
DEBILITY FROM DISEASE, CLIMATE, DISSIPATION OR DEBAUCHERY.—Strength, vivacity and vigor to the limbs, body and mind, is given by DR. JACOB WEBBER'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL—it sends an electric thrill of life through the worn-out body, weak limbs and broken-down constitution; gives an appetite, removes Dyspepsia, calms irritability, causes quiet sleep, and is indeed the finest tonic, Nervine, and Sanguifier ever made. It is purely a vegetable compound, and can be used by the most delicate.

Cure for Intemperance.
THE APPETITE FOR LIQUOR DESTROYED.—One of the beautiful properties possessed by DR. WEBBER'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL, is that it removes all longing or taste for liquor. Many inebriates have found that after it has renewed and strengthened them, quieted their nerves, it has caused aversion to spirits. I have seen it cure some of the most frightful cases, where *delerium tremens* has actually occurred.

Sold at Reduced Prices,
IN LARGE QUART BOTTLES!
Price—$3, or two for $5, at every respectable Drug Store in California.
IN MARIPOSA—BY J. H. NEAL & CO.
T. JONES, 185 Montgomery street, San Francisco, General Agent. my5 3mis

To Mariposians who wish to become Handsome for $1!

Jones' Italian Soap.
Price Reduced to twenty-five cents a Cake.
LAFONT'S TOOTH ROOT,
PRICE REDUCED TO FIFTY CENTS.
Jones' Coral Hair Restorative.
Price Reduced to 25 and 50 Cents.

TO EULOGISE THE ABOVE BEAUTIFUL PREparations, now so generally used and liked, would be to "gild refined gold." They are now larger, better perfumed, and of finer quality than ever and cheap enough to suit the most economical. The root lathers in the mouth, cleanses the tongue, throat, etc., is delicious to the taste, and the best dentrifice made to whiten the teeth.

If you want a fine, white and clear skin, or the best Shaving Soap made, try Jones' Italian Chemical Soap; it makes the coarsest and most discolored skin smooth, white and fine, and raises a splendid lather for shaving, and is fine for washing infants. If you want to beautify, dress, nourish, clean, or make your hair grow dark from their roots, you are assured Jones' Coral Hair Restorative will do this; it is an elegant article, and makea the worst hair clean, soft, and keeps it so a long time without drying. They are sold at the above prices at
J. H. NEAL & Co.'s Variety Store, MARIPOSA, and by all respectable Druggists in Cal'a. my5.3m

Mansfield & Wood,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL CLOTHING WAREHOUSE,
Sole Agency for the sale of
Wyman & Co.'s Superfine Clothing,
159 and 161 Montgomery Street, opposite Montgomery Block, San Francisco.

HAVE the Largest and best Assorted Stock, comprising the latest styles of CLOTHING, and every description, of superior quality,
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.
Also, LORIN BROOKS' CELEBRATED STEEL SHANK, CALF AND PATENT LEATHER BOOTS:
Also, every variety of TRUNKS, VALISES, CARPET BAGS, WATER PROOF TRAVELLING BAGS, UMBRELLAS, etc., etc.
Also, a well selected Stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, latest styles for the interior trade.
N. B. Particular attention to all orders for officers of the ARMY and NAVY; and all who wish the best quality CLOTHING made in the best manner and in the most approved styles.
San Francisco, June 26th, 1858 je30-tf.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!
New Steam Saw Mill!

THIS MILL is located upon the head of the North Fork of the Chouchillia, eight miles from Mariposa, and is surrounded by THE BEST TIMBERED COUNTRY between the Merced and San Joaquin Rivers.

Lumber of all Dimensions
Sawed to order, out of the best of Sugar Pine Timber, much of which is entirely clear and of SUPERIOR QUALITY.
A large stock of all kinds of Lumber kept constantly on hand at their Lumber yard, which will be sold LOW FOR CASH, or delivered in any accessible part of the country.
Those wanting large lots of Lumber, are particularly requested to examine their facilities for furnishing it, of superior quality at a low price.
THE ROAD TO THE MILL.
A ROAD has been built from Mariposa, by the way of Mormon Bar to their Mill, over which a load may be drawn as large as can be taken from Mariposa to any point below.
TEAMSTERS are informed that in the immediate vicinity of the Mill is excellent Grass, and Hay and Barley may be obtained at the Storehouse of the company. A share of patronage is solicited.
The undersigned are prepared to fill orders for every description of Lumber. And from our practical experience in manufacturing it, can guarantee satisfaction to our customers.
CLARK & McNEILL.
March 10, 1858. 10-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to the Public that they have recently returned to the OLD STEAM MILL, AT MILLVILLE, situated at the head of Sherlock's Creek, about three miles from Mariposa, where they will be enabled to accommodate purchasers with
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF LUMBER,
AT THE LOWEST MARKET PRICES.
The advantages of a GOOD WAGON ROAD, and its short distance from Mariposa, will enable us to compete with any establishment in the vicinity.
TEAMSTERS are informed that we are ready to contract to have Logs and Lumber hauled during the ensuing year.
WHITE & HATCH.
Millville, March 31, 1858. mh31-tf

Carriage and Wagon Shop,

Main st., Mariposa, Adjoining Gallison's Blacksmith Shop.
McCREADY & BROTHER, Proprietors.
BUGGIES, WAGONS, &C.,
Made to order, out of the best State's Timber.
REPAIRING,
Of every description, done with despatch, in a WORKMANLIKE MANNER.
Mariposa, Feb 17, 1858 f17-tf

New Advertisemnts.

COLLINS & TIFFANY

ring and Summer Styles for 1858.

PERUVIANS of the finest quality;
PERUVIANS Renovated properly, at short notice;
IMITATION PERUVIANS;
OTTERS, differing in hight of Crown and breadth of Brim;
BEAVER and CASSIMERE HATS, of the best material;
SOFT HATS, of the latest fashion;
LADIES RIDING HATS, made to order;
MENS' and BOYS CLOTH CAPS;
CHILDRENS' FANCY HATS;

CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND AT THE

EAGLE HAT STORE,

NO. 171 WASHINGTON STREET,
(Late 157, Commercial St.,)

JAS. C. COLLINS.............ROBERT J. TIFFANY.
San Francisco, June 4, 1858 je9-tf.

JUST RECEIVED,

PER CLIPPER SHIP
'EDWIN FORREST,'
FROM NEW YORK.

200 DOZEN CASTOR OIL;
100 dozen Seidlitz Powders;
100 gallons Castor Oil;
200 lbs. Pure Cream Tartar;
100 " " Balsam Copaiba;
1000 lbs. Epsom Salts;
1000 " Flor Sulphur;
200 " Sugar Lead;
100 " Gum Camphor, pure;

Together with a large assortment of Pure Drugs and Medicines, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, &c. &c.; which will be sold as low as the same quality of Goods can be bought from any house in the State, by

S. H. DEBNAM,
Importer and Dealer in Drugs and Medicines, Corner of Main and Hunter Streets,
STOCKTON.
Stockton, July 16, 1858.j21-tf.

GLOBE FOUNDRY,

....AND....

MACHINE SHOP,

COMMERCE STREET,
NEAR THE STEAMBOAT LANDING,
TOCKTON.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Proprietors of the above Establishment, are now prepared to manufacture to order,

Steam Engines; Quartz, Saw and Grist Mill Irons; House Fronts, &c., &c.

Particular attention given to the repairing of Agricultural Implements.

Car Wheels, Derrick Irons, Forge Backs, &c., constantly on hand.

☞Prices low, and terms Cash.
KEEP & BRIGGS.
Stockton, April 20, 1858. ap21

DICKINSON TYPE FOUNDRY.

PHELPS & DALTON

BOSTON.

L. P. FISHER:::::::::::::: AGENT,
SAN FRANCISCO.
Orders solicited for Type, Leads, Rules, &c., &c.

PHŒNIX WORKS.

JNO. KITTRIDGE:::::::PROPRIETOR.

Mannfactu.er of Fire-Proof Doors, Shutters, Vaults, &c., &c., Battery, near Pacific Street, SAN FRANCISCO.

N. B.—Orders from the country promptly attended to, and warranted as ordered.

A large assortment of second hand Doors and Shutters constantly on hand, and for sale at very low prices. mh10 6m

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E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmene, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal, Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumsp; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's;) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights; Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.
Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

STOCKTON

CITY MILLS.

Main St., West end—Established 1850.

THE undersigned, confident from their long experience in the Milling business, of their ability to manufacture the best description of FLOUR, would invite the attention of parties wishing to purchase, to the established reputation their brand has acquired in the Southern Mines, and wherever introduced, for its purity and superior quality.

They would take this occasion to inform their friends and the public, that having added to the premises, a **Fire proof Brick Store-House**, 40x80 feet, capable of storing 600 tons grain—improved and perfected the machinery of the Mills, their increased conveniences enable them to confidently guarantee every sack of Flour branded "STOCKTON CITY MILLS."

To Merchants and Farmers, they would add, that they continue to pay particular attention to grinding all kinds of grain. In conclusion, they would respectfully refer all those unacquainted with the Mills, to the principal Merchants of Stockton and the Southern Mines. SPERRY & CO.

N. B. The Office has been removed to the New building, adjoining the Mill, where orders are solicited for FLOUR, CORN MEAL, GROUND BARLEY, SHORTS, BRAN, &c. S. & CO.
Stockton, March 25, 1857. mr27-tf

FORD & NYE,

GENERAL COMMISSION AND
Forwarding Merchants,
DEALERS IN
FLOUR, BARLEY, OATS, AND GROUND FEED,
evee Street, East of Centre Stret, Stockton, Cal.

☞FORD & NYE pay particular attention to receiving Goods from steamers and sailing vessels, and forwarding same to all parts of the Southern Mines, at lowest rates of freight. mar20-tf

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Charles P. Greenly & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE,

Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.

CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office,
STOCKTON. j3-tf

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WHAT CHEER HOUSE,

SAN FRANCISCO.

If you have business of any kind to transact, is it not important that you should endeavor to get as near as possible to where business of all kinds is known to centre?

Do you wish to patronize a house conducted on strictly temperance principles?

Do you want to stop at an establishment favorably known throughout California, Oregon, and all other places, for its moderate charges, good Tables, and the best of Beds, together with order, convenience, and superior accommodations?

If you desire all these, we advise you to go to **WOODWARD'S**

87, 89, and 91, Leidesdorff St.--119 and 121 Sacramento St.

This establishment is centrally located in the principal business part of the city, and in the immediate vicinity of the Steamship Co.'s office, the Express Co.'s offices, and the United States Branch Mint.

Board, pr w'k, $5,50; Board, pr day, $1; Meals, 50 cts; Lodgings, 50 to 75 cts. pr. Night

☞Single Rooms, furnished complete, 75 cents per Night.

☞Rooms or Lodgings can be had by the Night or Week, with or without Board, to suit the convenience of all.

The Beds are fitted up in the very best style, with patent French springs, and the best of curled hair mattrasses, clean bedding, &c.

Superior BATHING accommodations also connected with the House.

SHOWER BATHS FREE.

FREE PASSAGE in the Omnibus to and from the Boats. Look to the name of the Omnibus to avoid imposition.

By unremitting attention and untiring efforts to furnish the greatest amount of comfort and convenience at extremely low prices, the proprietor hopes to merit a continuance of the increasing patronage that the **What Cheer House** at present enjoys.

For the accommodation of miners and others having money or valuables, there are two large safes in the office. There is also an Extensive Library and Reading-Room, well supplied with papers, periodicals, &c.

THE HOUSE IS OPEN ALL NIGHT.

☞Travelers will please to remember that there are no Runners connected with this establishment.
my26-3m R. B. WOODWARD, Proprietor

For Fresno City,

The head of King's River, or Tulare Slough.

The new, light draught and staunch steamer

HENRIETTA,

GEORGE V. HIGHT, Master,

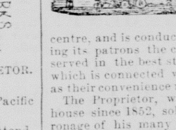
Will leave Stockton as above every THURSDAY, at 7 o'clock, A. M., receiving freight for Mariposa, Hornitas, Upper and Lower Agua Frio, the Fresno and Merced mines, and connecting with Teams at Overton & Vaughn's landing, and taking freight and passengers for MILLERTON, VISALIA and WHITE RIVER, and all intermediate landings, connecting with Stages and Teams at Fresno City.

Returning, will leave Fresno every MONDAY, at 2 o'clock, A. M.

For further particulars, apply on board, at Stockton, or to W. B. CUMMINGS,
je16-tf 50 California st., San Francisco.

TEHAMA HOUSE.

Corner of California and Sansome streets.
EARTHQUAKE PROOF.



THIS WELL known and popular Establishment offers SUPERIOR INDUCEMENTS to the traveling public, and to those wishing a quiet home. It is situated in convenient proximity to the business centre, and is conducted on the European plan, giving its patrons the choice of obtaining their meals served in the best style at the American Exchange, which is connected with the house, or elsewhere, as their convenience may suggest.

The Proprietor, who has been engaged in this house since 1852, solicits a continuance of the patronage of his many friends, which, as heretofore, he will endeavor to merit by strict attention to their wants and comfort. G. W. FRINK, Proprietor.
San Francisco, July 7, 1857. jy10 tf

HOTEL INTERNATIONAL.

JACKSON STREET, ABOVE MONTGOMERY,
SAN FRANCISCO.

BY MRS. A. S. HALEY.

THIS HOTEL, after undergoing thorough repair, and after being refitted throughout with NEW FURNITURE, BEDDING, CARPETS, etc., is now open for the reception of the traveling public. This house is now one of the best, most cleanly and more comfortable than any other on the Pacific.

It will be kept as a First-Class Hotel in every particular.

The Hotel Department of the Rail Road House has always been acknowledged to have been the most cleanly and better kept than any other house in San Francisco. It is only necessary to say, that until recently Mrs. HALEY controlled that part of the Railroad House, and will now take the sole charge of the International, assisted by Messrs. John J. Haley and E. R. Robinson, formerly of the New York Hotel, late of the Rail Road House, and Mr. M. A. French, late of the Bassette House.

We will strive to please, and ask but one trial for success.

☞The INTERNATIONAL COACH is always in attendance to convey passengers to and from the Boats, at One Dollar for each person. oc28-tf

A. M. GILLMAN & CO.,

No. 82, Front St., near Corner of Clay,
SAN FRANCISCO.
Importers and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic

WINES AND LIQUORS,

Keep constantly on hand, and are receiving by every arrival, the best quality of French Brandies and Wines, including

FINE OLD COGNAC,

AND CHAMPAGNE OF THE CHOICEST BRANDS,
Imported direct from France.

☞J. E. RUGGLES, late of the firm of Ruggles & Nudd, Stockton, may be found at the above place. oc28-tf

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A CARD.

THOMAS TILDEN,

General Mercantile Agent,
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

T. TILDEN having had some Fifteen years experience in a General Mercantile and Merchandise business—the last eight years in San Francisco, will attend to the Purchase and Forwarding of every description of Goods, with punctuality and dispatch. Also, Collections and Remittances to all parts of the country, Atlantic States and Europe, made with promptness and fidelity.

GOLD DUST RECEIVED FOR ASSAY AND COINAGE—Negotiations and every description of Mercantile business transacted upon the most reasonable terms.

Reference—A. E. FIELD, Esq., Mariposa. a12tf

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BILLIARD SALOON!

TORRENCE & PARKER, PROPRIETORS.

Corner of Montgomery and Washington Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.

THIS SALOON, THE LARGEST IN THE STATE, is supplied with TEN of the most superior Tables, fitted with PHELAN'S PATENT CUSHIONS, and to prevent complaints from want of light in the evenings, it is lighted with the City Gas. jy10

NOTICE.

THE undersigned will attend to the examination of Mining locations, make Reports, and draw Plans for opening and working Quartz Mines in Mariposa and adjoining counties. He will also attend to the purchasing of Quartz Mines on commission. J. E. CLAYTON,
Mining Engineer.
Office at Mariposa, Maripasa County. d30

MARIPOSA BAKERY!

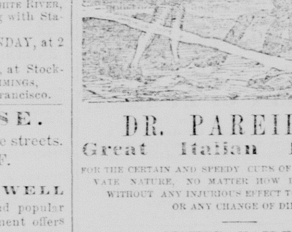
BY C. MEYER

Main Street, Betwen Fifth and Sixth.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE MARIPOSA BAKERY are always prepared to supply Families with good, wholesome BREAD; also, PIES and CAKES, at LOW PRICES.
Mariposa, July 17, 1857. jy17 tf

YE THAT SUFFER!

READ! READ!! READ!!!



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Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

IT HAS NEVER FAILED—IT CANNOT FAIL TO CURE!

It has borne the test of

FIFTY YEARS,

and has never yet failed to
EFFECT A CURE IN EVERY CASE!

☞Beware of Quack Nostrums, and use a Medicine that has proved itself the only

Infallible Remedy

ON THE EARTH!
THIS GREAT REMEDY IS WARRANTED PURELY VEGETABLE.

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General Agent for Pacific Coast, Oregon and Sandwich Islands.

☞For sale also by Druggists throughout California and the Atlantic States.

☞DR. A. D. BOYCE, Agent for Mariposa and Hornitas. ap16-tf

Wooden-ware, Brooms, Baskets, Brushes.

Clothes Lines, Matches, &c.,
In all their varieties,
ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY ARRIVING FROM THE EAST.

For sale at lowest wholesale prices, at the
Wood and Willow-ware Establishment
....OF....
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f3-6m SAN FRANCISCO.

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IMPORTER OF AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
DEALER IN

WATCHES, DIAMONDS, SILVER WA E,

Jewelry and Silver-Plated Ware,
Quartz Work of All Kinds on Hand.

WATCHES

Repaired with care, and Warranted.

No. 125 Montgomery st.,
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☞Persons in the Interior desirous of purchasing articles of Jewelry, by forwarding a description, accompanied by the cash, can obtain them, and depend on their being of the best quality, and selected with care; and there is little doubt that this mode will prove as satisfactory to the purchasers as if the articles had been selected under their own supervision. march27-tf

MAGNOLIA HOUSE!

(ESTABLISHED IN 1849.)
Channel St., on the Peninsula, Stockton.

THIS popular and commodious Hotel, situated in one of the most pleasant and convenient localities in the city, is constantly open for the reception of **Transient and Permanent Boarders.** The rooms are spacious, thoroughly ventilated and lighted, and furnished with a view to comfort. The dining Hall is the best in this city; where the patrons of the House may depend upon finding tables beautifully spread with the luxuries of the season. Good accommodations are afforded to families, and small parties.

We keep no Bar, but challenge any other House to produce a better table, or cleaner Beds, or better accommodations generally.

☞Prices to suit the times.
ap8 tf J. C. MORRIS, Proprietor.

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Wholesale and Ratail Dealer in Pure

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

STOCKTON, CAL.,
Main street, one door West from Hunter street.

Patent Medicines;	Fancy Articles;
Perfumery;	Garden Seeds;
Chemicals;	Flower seeds;
Surgical Instruments;	Cosmetics;
Shoulder Braces,	Soaps;
Trusses, &c.,	Brushes, &c.

Balsams, &c., for Pulmonary Diseases;
Remedies for the Blood, &c.;
Liniments, &c., for Rheumatism;
Vegetable Purgative Pills;
Strengthening Plasters;
Diarrhœa Medicines;
Ointments and Salves;
Veterinary Medicines;
Remedies for disorders and affections of the Eye &c., &c.

☞For sale, wholesale and retail, at the lowest market price, Main street, one door West from Hunter, Stockton. mar20-tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.,

DRY GOODS

— AND —

CLOTHING ESTABLIHMENT,

BRICK STORE,

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE Proprietors would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are prepared to offer for sale, their LARGE and well selected stock of

Spring and Summer Goods,

JUST RECEIVED.

They are determined to sell as LOW, and LOWER than any other House in Mariposa County, for Cash.

One of the firm is residing in San Francisco, whose business is only to supply both their Stores in Mariposa and Agua Frio, with the CHEAPEST, BEST and MOST FASHIONABLE GOODS of the California Markets.

THEIR LADIES' GOODS consists in part of French Lawns, Calicos, Bareges, Tisues, and Fine Muslin, Ginghams, Parasols, Venician, Tuscan, and Silk Bonnets; a variety of all kinds of Silks and Velvets, Capes and Mantillas of the Latest Style; Ladies' and Childrens Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers of all descriptions; together with a full Stock of

Domestic and Foreign Goods,

Useful for Household purposes.

ALL KINDS OF FANCY GOODS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES AND TRIMMINGS.

CARPETS, MATTING, AND OIL CLOTHS.

Also—A full assortment of FINEST and BEST, gents.

Clothing and Furnishing Goods,

....And a good supply of....

MINER'S CLOTHING,

FINE AND HEAVY
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c.

☞We respectfully invite Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere, as we will endeavor to give them entire satisfaction. So call and see.

☞Grateful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. C. S. & CO.
Mariposa, Oct. 14, 1857. s17-56 o14

C. F. MACDERMOT, C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.

Main Street, Marip sa, and Saxton's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A
Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,

SUPERIOR OLD
Wines & Liquors,
of the choicest brands;
HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,
Clothing, Boots and Shoes;
DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;
MINING TOOLS, &c.,
AND A GENERAL
ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purcha.ing elsewhere.
Ma.iposa, July 4, 1356. jy4-tf

REMOVAL OF THE MARIPOSA PROVISION STORE

....AND....

BAKERY!

TO THE NEW FIRE-PROOF BRICK BUILDING, CORNER OF FIFTH AND MAIN STREETS.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING REMOVED TO HIS NEW BRICK BUILDING, respectfully informs his old customers and the public generally, that he has now on hand, and will regularly receive large supplies of

Provisions, Groceries, Liquors Mining Tools, &c.

And all articles in his line suited to the wants of the community, which will be sold as low as goods can be purchased in this place.

THE BAKERY.

The Subscriber has also attached to his Store a BAKERY, where Families can be supplied at all times with the

BEST BREAD, CAKES AND PIES.

The proprietor trusts by strict attention to business and to the wants of his customers, to merit and receive a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him.
PETER VAN BEVER.
Mariposa, December 23, 1857. au5tf

STOVES! STOVES!

....AND....

TIN WARE.

S. WORMSER,
Opposite the Franklin House, Main street,
MARIPOSA.

THE proprietor continues to keep constantly on hand, and for Sale Cheap, a large assortment of

PARLOR AND COOKING STOVES,

Of every description—Also,

Tin-ware, Hardware, &c., &c.

Which he is determined to sell as low as such articles can be purchased elsewhere. All kinds of

JOB WORK,

In the Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Line,
Done to order, and in the best manner.

☞Call and examine his Stock before purchasing elsewhere no4-tf

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MARIPOSA

MEAT MARKET

......AND......

Provision Store!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

J. A. HENRY::::::::::: PROPRIETOR.

Beef, Pork and Mutton!

THIS MARKET will at all times be furnished with FINE FRESH MEAT, and the best that the country affords.

THE STORE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL!

An Extensive and Fresh Stock of *Groceries, Liquors, Mining Utensils, Provisions, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Havana and American Cigars, Superior old French Wines and Cognac.*

And other Goods Suited to the wants of the community, is just received and will be sold at reasonable rates.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere.
Mariposa, August 26, 1857. a26-tf

STONE HOUSE,

AT UPPER AGUA FRIO.

DR. WOODWARD.................PROPRIETOR.

GROCERIES, Provisions, Liquors Clothing, and all articles common to the wants of the community.

For sale upon reasonable terms for Cash.
Upper Agua Frio, April 24, 1857. a24-tf

LARGE ADDITIONS have recently been made to our stock of Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats, &c., to which we call the attention of purchasers.
d16 SULLIVAN & CO

Miscellaneous.

THE VERY BEST REMEDY FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD,

And for the Cure of

SCROFULA,	STUBBORN ULCERS,
FEVER SORES,	LIVER COMPLAINT,
SALT RHEUM,	MERCURIAL DISEASES,
RHEUMATISM,	CUTANEOUS ERUPTIONS,
PIMPLES, BILES,	GENERAL DEBILITY, &c.

AND AS A
GENERAL TONIC FOR THE SYSTEM,
IT IS UNRIVALLED.

It has long been a most important desideratum in the practice of medicine, to obtain a remedy similar to this, and accordingly we find it resorted to almost universally in cases of Scrofula, Liver Diseases, Salt Rheum, General Prostration of the Vital Powers, and all those tormenting diseases of the skin so trying to the patience and injurious to the health. Although possessed of powerful healing properties, it is entirely harmless, and will not injure the most

DELICATE CONSTITUTION.

When in perfect health, no effect is produced by its use, except an increase of appetite; but when disease is seated in the frame, and carrying fast its victim along the path of life, then its mysterious influence is felt and seen; it enkindles new life and vigor, and brings health and strength to the suffering and diseased.

SCROFULOUS SORE EYES.

The following important testimony is from South Kingston, R. I. In this case the Sarsaparilla was recommended by the family Physician.

MESSRS. SANDS:—Gentlemen,—My little daughter, when one year old, was attacked with a scrofulous humor on her face, which soon after extended into her eyes, causing almost total blindness in one of them, and disfiguring her whole face. I employed two physicians to attend her, who exhausted their utmost skill to give her relief, but it all proved useless, and finally one of them remarked to me that he had known of some striking cures effected by Sands' Sarsaparilla, and advised me to try it. I obtained one bottle, which she commenced using, and before it was all used up it had effected an entire cure. It is now over four years since she was cured, and there has been no reappearance of the disease, and we are satisfied that it is a perfect cure.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE ROBINSON.

Prepared and sold by **A. B. & D. SANDS,** Wholesale Druggists, 100 Fulton-street, corner of William, New York.

For sale by DEWITT, KITTLE & Co., H. JOHNSON & Co., and REDINGTON & Co., San Francisco; RICE & COFFIN, Marysville; R. H. McDONALD & Co., Sacramento; and by Druggists generally.

DR. HUBBELL & CO., Agents, Mariposa.
July17-1m tf.

A. W. JEE'S STORE,

AT MORMON BAR.

GENERAL PROVISION DEPOT!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS now on hand, and is constantly receiving at his Store, large supplies of

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES.

BEST WINES AND LIQUORS,
And every Variety of
MINING IMPLEMENTS,
Hardware and Cutlery,
Together with a good supply of
CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,
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CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly affected, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy; and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self-distrust and want of confidence in others, the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

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State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.]
Notary Public.

A CARD.—Prompted by an honest desire of my heart, I wish to lay before the public, a case which deserves a high commendation, not only as an act of scientific skill, but that of humanity also. About two years ago, I suddenly and from some cause unknown to me, was seized with a fit of epilepsy, which, owing to my inability to meet the expense consequent upon a thorough medical treatment, and the failures which I met with on attempting it, soon became such (as I was then led to believe) as to defy the skill of a physician. I was frequently, while in pursuit of my calling, thrown down to the ground without the slightest warning, and although insensible to the agonies, I yet despised the miseries of my life, and soon learned to look upon those who would render me assistance or shelter me from danger as enemies who sought to prolong the misery of my existence. While in this state, and having previous to my affliction, tasted the sweets of life, I once more was induced to attempt seeking aid of a physician, and by recommendation, called upon Dr. L. J. Czapkay. I told him my circumstances, and my inability to reward him for all his services, regardless of which, however, he at once undertook the case, and with the blessing of God I was once more restored to perfect health. Unable to reward him for the boon which I enjoy at present, and yet conscious of my indebtedness, I consider it due to myself and to all afflicted, to make the case public, in order that those in need of medical advice may find a physician in whom every confidence can be placed.
[L. S.] MEYER YABLONSKY.

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